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GOOD REPUTATIONS

Given to Edwards and McKenzie

AT THE JOHNSON INVESTIGATION

The Would-Be Boodler Being Placed In a Very Uncomfortable Corner.

SACRAMENTO, February 21.—The special committee to investigate the charges brought against Assemblyman Johnson met again this evening. Johnson resumed the stand and cross examination was continued by Mr. Richards.

Johnson was given a card like the card in evidence, and asked to mark it in a similar mannner, which he did, and card No. 2 was also placed in evidence. Johnson testified that Barrington had made speeches on the stump for him while he was running for office, and that Barrington acted as an officer of the Willow Glen club, of which Johnson is president.

Johnson said he did not consider Barrington reliable and maintained the same opinion while he was trying to borrow the $100. Johnson further said he knew that McKenzie was buying votes, but did not consider the fact until a man in San Jose had told him that McKenzie had paid him $3 for his vote, which was evidence enough to convict him. Johnson stated that he knew that Rea was the leader of a gang of corrupt politicians.

Redirect examination was permitted by the committee.

Johnson was asked what he meant when he stated last evening that on the second time he went to Rea he went to get pointers.

His answer was that he went to find out how things were down in Sacramento; that Judge Spencer had said to Johnson that while he was in Sacramento he might sell his vote and no one would know it, and that he had gone to Rea to find, if possible, how this could be accomplished.

J. K. Prior, owner of stock in the San Jose Gas company, took the stand and testified that Edwards' reputation for truth and veracity was good in San Jose; that he had sent Edwards to San Jose to take a position with the gas company, that he had heard that Edwards had taken money from the gas company, of which he was then secretary, and put it into politics, and this time witness investigated Edwards' character thoroughly and found nothing against it.

W. G. Lorigan, superior judge of Santa Clara county, telegraphed that he had known Edwards fourteen years and his reputation in the community was good. He also knew that McKenzie's reputation for truth and veracity was good. He said there had been a great deal of discussion in San Jose in regard to the men connected with both lighting companies, but that he felt justified in testifying that the reputation of Edwards and McKenzie is of the best. He thought Edwards was a man who had opinions of his own and that he would not be influenced in his testimony by his friendship for Rea.

The cross-examination revealed the fact that Judge Lorigan had been affiliated with Edwards in politics.

J. H. Henry, owner of stock in the San Jose electric railroad, stated that Edwards' reputation was of the best.

F. C. Frank, a director of the Santa Clara bank, testified to the good general reputation of both Edwards and McKenzie in the community.

Several others testified to the same effect.

It was arranged that the case will be argued tomorrow evening and submitted to the committee, which then adjourned.

CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE.

The Assembly.

SACRAMENTO, February 21.—The various county division bills were made the special order for Friday afternoon.

The assembly constitutional amendment to be submitted to the people and which proposes in substance that foreigners shall not acquire property in the state without becoming residents, passed by a vote of 55 to 5.

Flint's bill to prevent hunting and shooting on private grounds came up for second reading.

Shanahan, who bitterly opposed the Emeric bill, gained the floor and moved to strike out the enabling clause. The motion was debated for half an hour and was finally adopted.

The bill to compel savings banks to publish a sworn statement of unclaimed deposits was ordered to its third reading.

Godchaux's constitutional amendment to take the fixing of railroad freights and fares out of the hands of the railroad commissioners and engraft it in the constitution was a special order for 3.30.

Shanahan said he believed that the schedule of freights and fares, which it proposed to introduce into the constitution, with perhaps the exception of the author of the bill, had not been read by one of the assemblymen. He thought there were other bills more entitled to the consideration of the house, and he moved to substitute constitutional amendment No. 4, of which he is the author, for the one under consideration and went on to say:

"I have voted for the removal of the railroad commissioners. Now let us do away with the commission for ever. I should be delighted if I could agree with the traffic association and my friend Mr. Godchaux, but I cannot follow men who are vascillating in their opinion. They have come in with a schedule which I could not read or comprehend in a shorter time than three months, and have asked me to support it off hand, therefore I move for the adoption of the substitute."

Bledsoe said that he was in favor of putting Godchaux's amendment to vote, then, if lost, to take up the measures introduced by the member from Shasta.

Finlayson reviewed the merits of both amendments and expressed himself in favor of one introduced by Shanahan.

Miller said he disapproved of both amendments. He believed that because three incompetent men had held the office of railroad commissioner it was no reason why a good office should be abolished any more than if the country were unfortunate enough to elect a bad President that that office should be done away with.

Shanahan withdrew his motion to the substitute, and Bledsoe offered an amendment to Godchaux's amendment, which applies the schedule of freights and fares only to subsidized roads, and allows mountain roads to fix their own rates. This was lost.

Finlayson offered two amendments in effect to vest the legislature with authority over the railroad commissioners, which were lost, and the matter then went over.

Bulla offered a resolution to create an urgency file, upon which each member shall have the right to place a bill, which file shall be taken up at the night sessions, to begin Thursday. The assembly adjourned until 10 o'clock Thursday.

The Senate.

SACRAMENTO, February 21.—Mahoney, Republican, presented a minority report signed by himself and Seymour, Republican, of the special committee on investigation of the railroad commissioners. The report is lengthy and concludes as follows:

"Finally we submit as our conclusion that the present members of the state board of railroad commissioners are reasonably competent for the offices which they fill; that they have been reasonably diligent, intelligent and successful in the discharge of their duties, and that in the evidence taken before the committee there is nothing tending in any way to establish that said commissioners, or either of them, have been derelict or incompetent for the discharge of the office which they hold. We therefore recommend that the assembly concurrent resolution No. 7 be not concurred in."

The senate constitutional amendment, which, if approved by the people, provides that the legislature may pass a general and uniform law under which new counties may formed and taking that power out of the hands of the people was passed by a unanimous vote.

The bill regarding the opening, widening and staightening of streets and to allow municipalities to condemn and acquire any and all land necessary for that purpose, passed.

Late in the Day.

OAKLAND, February 21.—Warren B. English, Democrat, defeated for congress in the Third district by Samuel G. Hilborn, has served the latter with notice of contest. The contestant charges among numerous other things that he received 13,138 votes, and his opponent 13,000, and that Hilborn got 100 votes by people not entitled to vote. Judge Hilborn's attorneys today forwarded an answer to Washington.

Needs Equalizing.

CHICAGO, February 21.—A meeting of freight officials of transcontinental lines will be held at Santa Barbara, Cal., next week to take such action as may be deemed necessary to place all roads on an equality in the matter of rates to the Pacific coast.

Getting Near It.

NEW YORK, February 21.—Charley Mitchell finally agreed to deposit $10,000 forfeit and fight Corbett. This decision was arrived at tonight, and the party leaves for Niagara Falls, where articles will be signed Thursday night.

Who Is Jenks?

BROOKVILLE, Pa., February 21.—George W. Jenks will be attorney general in Cleveland's second administration. He received news of his appointment from Mr. Cleveland in three telegrams yesterday.

KINGSBURG.

A Peculiarly Worded Legal Notice. Society News.

KINGSBURG, February 21.—L. Harp has returned from the Bakersfield country.

A protracted meeting is being held in the M. E. Church South.

Sig Wormser went to Stockton this afternoon to consummate the trade between the hotel company and the parties in Santa Cruz. The hotel stockholders may now recreate themselves in the cooling breezes of Santa Cruz during the scorching summer season.

Constable Morgan has placed a notice up at the depot that makes the small boys feel uncomfortable; it states that any one jumping on or off the trains when in motion will be prosecuted "under the statutes of California under 21 years old." This notice, from the trenchant pen of one able attorney, is puzzling the burghers; we are in doubt as whether California or the statutes are under the prescribed age. Whether or no, it has its effect upon the American youth, especially when coupled with the wholesome dread they have for our worthy constable.

The wedding of Dr. M. A. Gilreath and Miss Emily Garrett will take place next Monday evening in the Methodist church. This will be the affair of the season.

Misses Melia Phillips and Lucille Morgan are with us after an extended absence.

A shooting match between the Kingsburg and the Selma Rifle clubs will be held on the Kingsburg grounds on February 22d. KINGS BURGHER.

SPECIAL SERVICE

At St. James Church Next Friday Evening.

John W. Wood of New York, general secretary, and Silas McBee of Tennessee, constituting a commission of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, a society of young men of the Episcopal church, will visit Fresno on Friday and hold a service in St. James church in the evening at 7.30. The various interests connected with the brotherhood will be explained, and a very interesting meeting may be expected. A cordial invitation is extended to the public, especially to young men, among whom the brotherhood labors.

A chapter of the brotherhood is in active operation in St. James, and this occasion will awaken the interests of all.

Lots of Gush Over a—S'hush.

It is now whispered that Mrs. Cleveland is going to have a—s'hush!

It is said that she has gone to Buffalo to tell her mother that—s'hush!

If the charming report be true it will be the first time the White House has ever been the scene of a—s'hush!

Good news travels like wild fire. Every one was talking yesterday afternoon about the possibility of the popular President-elect being again a—s'hush!

How empty the honor of naming a cabinet compared with the bright prospect of being able to name a new—s'hush!

Only one cause for regret, though, and that is, how may Baby Ruth regard her new little—s'hush!—New York Recorder.

HART'S HARBOR MONEY

Still Undergoing Rigid Investigation

BY A JOINT COMMITTEE

No Testimony Whatever is Introduced by the Defense — Adjourned to the Capital.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 21.—The legislative committee investigating the attorney general's office met here today. The committee did not get to business before 11.30 as Hart was late.

Chief Justice Beatty of the supreme court was present during most of the proceedings.

John H. Miller, of the law firm of Miller & Langhorne in the harbor commission suit, testified that $17,551.54 had been paid to Hart. Miller thought the money should have been paid into the harbor commission fund.

Chairman Matthews said the committee did not care what fund the money should be paid into. Attorney Devlin, for the prosecution, wanted Hart to testify as to when the money was paid to him, but Hart's counsel refused to allow him to testify.

At the afternoon session E. S. Heller, attorney in the harbor commission cases, testified that he had paid Hart money in the latter's offices. He could not remember whether it was check or coin.

Chairman Matthews said that the committee did not care in what form the money was, the committee only wanted to ascertain if Hart had received money and what he did with it.

At the conclusion of the testimony Hart's counsel stated that he had no testimony to offer, because the defense admitted everything that had been proved.

The committee then adjourned to meet again in Sacramento.

RAISINS BOOMING.

Five Cents a Pound Paid for Loose in Sacks.

William Harvey, secretary of the California State Raisin Growers' association, was asked by a reporter yesterday as to the condition and prospects of the raisin market. Mr. Harvey reported both as exceedingly good. The Easton Packing company, which held its stock while others were dumping train loads on the market, has sold within the past few days to the Johnson-Locke company free on board at Fresno forty carloads of loose raisins in sacks at 4½ cents per pound.

Within the past week a carload of loose raisins in sacks was sold at Selma, f.o.b., at 5 cents per pound, and a quantity of loose raisins were sold by a Hanford firm, f.o.b., at Hanford at 5 cents.

The Oleander Packing company has withdrawn from the combination of packing houses, having become dissatisfied at the manner in which the product was sold by the combination.

In the Interest of Economy.

Legislator McGowan has introduced a bill providing for an appropriation of $25,000 for a women's exhibit at the World's Fair. We respectfully suggest that "The Spider and Fly" company, which exhibited its women here last Friday night, could probably be hired to display at the fair for less than $25,000, and the man who would ask for more of a women's exhibit than that offers has no right to mention the fact in polite society. "The Spider and Fly" women could probably be hired to exhibit for $5000, and thus the taxpayers would attain their end and at the same time save $20,000.—Stockton Mail.

PERSONAL.

William Burton is here from Letcher.

V. D. Knupp of Visalia is in the city.

N. L. Palmer is over from Huron on business.

J. E. Chapin of Cascade was in Fresno yesterday.

C. P. Bartnett was over from Reedley yesterday.

F. H. Ransom was over from Sanger yesterday.

S. L. Reed of Reedley spent yesterday in Fresno.

C. M. Petty came down from Madera last evening.

Herbert W. Smith of St. Paul, Minn., is in the city.

William F. Coffman was down from Madera yesterday.

G. Howard Thompson, a San Francisco banker, is in the city.

W. H. Werfield of Madera came down to Fresno last evening.

Joseph Hamilton and wife of Great Falls, Mont., are visiting Fresno.

Crittendon Thornton, the well known lawyer, is down from San Francisco.

N. B. Johnson of Louisville, Ky., is among the eastern visitors now in Fresno.

Farmer Lee of Zebra has returned from the scenes of his recent unpleasant experiences, Sacramento.

Miss Callie Sullivan of Santa Clara is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Esrey, of this city.

Ira Hutchinson left last night for Dayton, O., to place his new caramel wrapping machine upon the market.

John M. Fulton, superintendent of the narrow gauge railroad at Reno, Nev., is in the city. His old friend, J. E. Dealy, is showing him the sights.

Mrs. J. M. Reuck and children of Bakersfield, who have been visiting relatives in this city, left yesterday for Modesto to visit the former's parents.

Mrs. R. Orman has returned from Newman, where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. P. H. Higgins. Mrs. Orman was accompanied by her daughter who will spend a week or two here.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

DAINTY SHOES

We are always up to the times, and in the trade are leaders for new styles that not only have a splendid appearance, but fit like a glove.

"THE PICADILLY"

Is one of the two most stylish toes for this season. The other is

THE "NARROW SQUARE"

WE HAVE THEM BOTH.

And flatter ourselves that we have attained a distinction in the above new shapes. With their graceful outlines, stylish tips and shapely heels they greatly beautify the foot.

Our low prices bring them within the reach of all.

The Plymouth Rock Shoe Store

1917 Mariposa, bet. J and K Sts.

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Advertisements of "Wanted," "For Sale," "For Rent," "Lost," etc., will be inserted at the rate of 5 cents a line for each insertion. No single advertisement taken for less than 25 cents. In calculating the length of each advertisement, count six words to the line for the first three lines of ordinary reading matter, and eight words to the line for all subsequent lines. Orders by mail promptly filled, but the cash should accompany each order.

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WANTED—A WOMAN TO COME TO HOUSE and do washing once a week. Apply at this office E. W. SMUTZ. f22tf

WANTED—A WOMAN FOR GENERAL housework in family of two. Apply at 130 Abble street. f21tf

WANTED—A GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSE work in a small family. Good wages. Five miles from town. Apply at 932 K street from 2 till 4 on Wednesday and Thursday. f21t3*

WANTED—A GIRL TO DO GENERAL HOUSE work at 1732 north J street. Address postoffice box 187. f19t3

WANTED—SITUATIONS.

WANTED—A YOUNG DANISH GIRL WANTS a situation to do general housework in a small family. Address Kohler House. f21t2

WANTED—A POSITION AS DRIVER FOR a grocery or any merchandise establishment. Address box 337, city. f17t6*

WANTED—A POSITION BY A PROFESsional gardner and nurseryman of long experience in orchard, berries and vineyard business, who is willing to go into the growing of berries and vegetables on shares on a large scale. Address P.O. Box 452, Fresno. f15t6

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED — BOARDERS — FIRST-CLASS table board, with or without rooms. 930 J st. f22m1

WANTED—FARMERS, RANCHERS, VINEyardists, hotel keepers, boarding houses and families requiring first class help, male or female, call or send to the Eureka Employment Bureau, 1018 I street, Fresno. f19tf

WANTED—TWO GOOD MILCH COWS AND 50 chickens. Inquire at Dr. Hare's office, room 26, Fiske building. f19t2

WANTED — A SUIT OF ROOMS WITH board in private family; centrally located. Address MRS. LYDIA WARREN ROBERTS, 1015 K street. f18t2*

WANTED—100 LAYING HENS WANTED AT BLACKLER'S. Plymouth Rock eggs for sale. f15t6

WANTED—PARTNER TO OPEN A LUNCH counter; very little money required; experience not necessary. Apply at once to LEVY & LANGLEY, 1018 I street. f14tf

WANTED—A FEW BOARDERS AT 1137 I street; references exchanged. f11t6*

WANTED—TO BUY FOR CASH, FURNITURE, carpets, stoves and household goods. The ARCADE, 1518 Tulare street. j24tf

WANTED — MRS. HOLLINGWORTH, ORganist First Presbyterian church will take a few pupils on the piano and organ. Apply 917 P street, Tuesdays, or address P.O. Box 327. j20tf

WANTED—WASHING AT 702, CORNER INYO and B streets. do16tf

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—FIFTEEN THOROUGHBRED jacks; undisputed pedegree; $500 up. For full information call on VAN VALER & HYDE, room 4, DeLong building, corner Mariposa and I streets. f20t6

FOR SALE—AT A BARGAIN, A LOT OF household furniture and a splendid family surrey. 722 J street. f21t3

FOR SALE — GOOD SORREL DRIVING horse, 8 years old, harness and cart. Apply at stable corner Inyo and J streets. f21t6*

FOR SALE—A LIGHT TOP BUGGY, DEXTER Fairy Queen; a bargain. Inquire at this office. f18t3*

FOR SALE—A GORDON SETTER PUP. Inquire of HOLDEN, this office. f16t4

FOR SALE—SECOND-HAND SINGER SEWing machines, latest improvements and good as new, for sale cheap. CHURCH BROS., 2115 Fresno street. f15t6

FOR SALE — BARLEY HAY MIXED WITH wheat, D. MINNEWAWA Vineyard. j12tf

FOR SALE—SIXTY TONS BALED WHEAT hay. Fancher Creek Nursery. Office 1152 J street. j21tf

FOR SALE—CHEAP—A FEW FINE REGIStered yearling bulls. Durham and Herfords, prize winners at State Fair 1892. For catalogues address I. HEILBRON, Wildflower Stock Farm, Wildflower, Fresno county. de28d1w2m

FOR SALE—WORK AND DRIVING HORSES, stallions, jacks and mules; horses bought, sold or exchanged [illegible]. Breeder and Dealer, 537 South F st. ve30tf

FOR SALE—FIRST-CLASS TOKAY, MALAGA and Sultana roots; also cuttings. Eisen Vineyard. d23tf

FOR RENT—ADVERTISING SPACE IN THE "want" columns of THE REPUBLICAN. It costs but little and is most productive of results. Everybody reads these columns.

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FOR SALE—FINE RAISIN VINEYARD AND orchard 5 years old, with buildings; $150 per acre. W. D. GRADY. f25t6*

FOR SALE—20 ACRES, 2¾ MILES WEST of Fowler (lot 43, Sierra Park colony); unimproved; easy terms; cheap. H. U. MAXFIELD, Hughes Hotel. j24tf

FOR SALE—A FINE SUBURBAN HOME; 5 acres in choice fruit; full bearing; 5 acres [illegible]; good house; terms easy. Apply to J. W. REESE or real estate agents. se26tf

FOR SALE—A BARGAIN—HOUSE 5 ROOMS with 4 lots; will sell 2 lots without house; fine lawn and shrubbery. Inquire cor. Tuolumne and Q sts. ja28tf

FOR RENT—HOUSES—ROOMS—ETC.

FOR RENT—TWO PLEASANT FRONT rooms; suitable for bedroom and sitting-room or light housekeeping. Apply 2626 Tuolumne st. f22t3*

FOR RENT—SUNNY FRONT ROOMS FOR gentlemen; also for light housekeeping. Inquire at 924 I street. f22tf

FOR RENT—A 4 ROOMED HOUSE. CALL AT 1505 L street. f21t3*

FOR RENT—HALF OF STORE, AN OFFICE and two fine suits of rooms with bath rooms, in Einstein block, opposite the Hughes. Apply to LOUIS EINSTEIN. f18t6

FOR RENT—GOOD BOARD AND ROOM. 1633 Inyo street. f16t6*

FOR RENT—RESIDENCE, HARD FINISHED, seven rooms, with bath; near corner Kern and C streets. Apply at the residence of W. D. TUPPER, corner K and Kern streets. f16t6

FOR RENT—A NICELY FURNISHED ROOM with board, for single gentleman, at $25 per month. Inquire at this office. f11tf

FOR RENT—REAR PART OF A LARGE store. Apply at 1018 I st., Eureka Employment Bureau. f7tf

FOR RENT—HOUSES—ROOMS—ETC.

FOR RENT—TWO ROOMS, COMFORTABLY furnished; with or without board. Inquire 939 O street. f18tf

FOR RENT—TWO NICELY FURNISHED rooms for lodgers, 1007 M street. Gentlemen preferred. f19t3*

FOR RENT—HOUSE OF FOUR ROOMS IN good order at $10. L. A. SPENCER. f19t6*

FOR RENT—TWO ROOMS SUITABLE FOR housekeeping; first floor; central location. Apply at 1041 J st. Jy12tf

FOR RENT—CARPETS CLEANED BY STEAM beating process; upholstering and general repairing. F. C. HERRON, 846 I street, opposite Kohler House. Telephone 15. se27tf

FOR RENT—A NICE HOUSE; BEST OF LOcation; modern improvements; either furnished or unfurnished. Apply to HABER BROS., 1050 J street. j10tf

FOR RENT—KUTNER HALL, FOR BALLS, parties and meetings. Apply to FRANK M. CHITTENDEN, 1125 J street. de22tf

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS, BY THE day, week or month; especially low rates made to monthly renters; rooms fitted up new and in elegant style; quiet and well ventilated; parlor especially fitted up for the guests; most reasonable terms made of anywhere in the city. Apply at Spinney Lodging House, located on corner I and Merced sts. j19tf

FOR RENT—REAL ESTATE.

FOR RENT—40-ACRE 7-YEAR OLD VINEyard near town; good house, barn, etc. Apply 1017 J street. f15t3

FOR RENT—160-ACRE VINEYARD, 4 YEARS old, with stock, feed and implements, for half the crops. W. D. GRADY. j27tf

FOR RENT—40 ACRES; 20 IN MUSCAT vines 4 years old, and 20 acres in grain land. Address Box 8, Fresno. d18tf

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FOR IMMEDIATE EXCHANGE—80 ACRES first-class vineyard; everything complete; for good wheat ranch; also for sale 20 acre vineyard in Central colony; no reasonable offer refused. LEVY & LANGLEY, the real estate office for Eastern and English buyers, 1018 I st., Fresno. f11tf

TAKEN UP.

TAKEN UP — NEAR THE BLACKSTONE store, a sorrel horse with a blaze face. Owner can get same at Grand Central stables by proving property and paying charges. f15t3

TAKEN UP—AT MY PLACE IN BELMONT addition, a black horse, with white hind feet. The owner is requested to take the animal and pay the charges. JOHN D. SIMPSON. f14t6*

ESTRAYED.

ESTRAYED—OR STOLEN FROM I STREET a gray horse and Studebaker spring wagon. $10 reward: return to Police Headquarters. f21t3*

LOST.

LOST — AT ARMORY HALL, MONDAY night, a turquoise ring. A suitable reward will be paid for its return to Fred Gaus' Cigar Store. f22t2*

LOST — SUNDAY AFTERNOON, BETWEEN 1620 M street and Belmont car barns, a lady's watch and chain with fine plain gold ring attached. Finder will please leave at this office and receive reward. f14t6*

FOUND.

FOUND—ON MARIPOSA STREET, POCKET book with coin. Owner call, pay charges and get property. I. FINSPEL, 1727 Mariposa st. f16t3*

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY TO LOAN IN SUMS TO SUIT. T. W. PATTERSON, Room 3, over Farmers Bank. d21tf

MONEY TO LOAN—LOANS NEGOTIATED on farm or city property, at from 8 to 10 per cent; also fire and life insurance agents. A. B COVALT & SON, office 1918 Mariposa st., Herrington Building, Fresno, Cal. no20tf

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German Cough and Lung Balsam will fail.

IT SUCCEEDS EVERY TIME.

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—OF—

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Next to Einstein's.

I will be pleased to meet all my old patrons in the new location, and shall endeavor in the future as in the past, to merit the patronage of all. L. P. MESSING, Ph. G., Proprietor.
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We have Removed to Larger Premises

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Three doors south of Farmers Bank, where we are now in a position to give our customers and patrons better attention. LEVY & LANGLEY.

Real estate and vineyards.
The best office for Eastern and English purchasers.

Eureka Employment Bureau and Cigar Store.

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—OF—

MEN'S, BOYS' and CHILDREN'S SUITS

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WE ARE SHOVELING THEM OUT!

At $10 The remainder of our $15, $16.50 and $18 MEN'S SUITS, in Frocks and Sacks.

At $1.25 All of our CHILDREN'S Nice and Nobby Two-Piece Suits, which we have sold regularly at $2 and $2.50.

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Kutner-Goldstein Company

THE UNIVERSAL PROVIDERS.

On account of the inclemency of the weather for the past week, we shall continue our

Fifty Per Cent Discount Sale on Ladies' Cloaks and Jackets

FOR A FEW DAYS LONGER.

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I HAVE bought for the trade the largest and most elaborate line ever shown in the city. My line of trouserings will excel any stock in the State—foreign and domestic Woolens, and the finest shades and designs.

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Largest Stock
Lowest Prices

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Do not confound this with any "Gold Cure." The Golden Gate Remedy does not injure the physical system in any way.

TESTIMONIALS.

Two moths ago I was regarded as a hopeless inebriate, and had been so for fifteen years. Now I am a free man, thanks to the Golden Gate Remedy. JOHN WHITT.

I have been a very hard drinker for twenty-five years. I tried to quit, failed, tried again and again—same result; joined the Good Templars without avail; became a member of the Baptist church, but drink was master and [illegible] a few days. Now, thanks God and the Golden Gate Remedy, I am cured. No money could induce me to drink again. Shall be glad to consult with anyone. LEANDER BRUSH, 'Bus Driver at Tombs Hotel.

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French Cosmopolitan Hotel

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Rooms by the day, week or month. Best accommodations.
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Owing to Bad Weather

I will extend the time a few days for making Cabinet Photos for $1.50 per dozen.
Will also for a short time give lessons in Embroidery and Painting, evenings: hours 7 to 9; price 25 cents per hour.
MRS. L. S. BURT,
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THE LARGEST AND BEST OUTFITTED

—STEAM DYE WORKS!—

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—THE—

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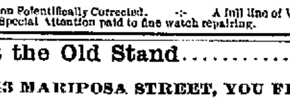
1809  1809

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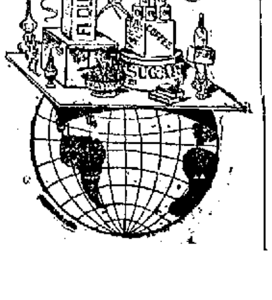

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This is the way the Los Angeles Times' poet looks at approaching crinoline:

The present generation will be pretty near struck blind
If the hoops the girls propose to wear are the good old "tilting" kind.

Now they are charging the women in bleeding Kansas with having caused all that trouble. That has been the way ever since that unfortunate apple episode in which woman and the devil played a prominent part. Man has always been the victim—the poor cuss.

The reduction of the coyote bounty to $2.50 per scalp will meet with the approval of the taxpayers and the coyotes. The feelings of the scalper may be somewhat lacerated thereby, but with the cost of living reduced one-half by the advent of free trade, he ought not to grumble.

Now that President Harrison has signed the national quarantine bill no time should be lost in carrying its provisions into execution. The warm season is rapidly approaching, and with it there is an ominous revival of the Asiatic plague in various localities in Europe. The pestilence is certain to spread, in spite of the precautions that are being made to check it. The fact that the new law is not so perfect as it should be only makes plain the necessity for immediate action.

The proposed treaty with Hawaii, which, together with a mass of correspondence bearing upon the subject, was sent to the senate by President Harrison, is the present subject of national interest. The treaty simply provides for complete annexation, leaving all legislation upon the matter to the subsequent action of congress. Minister Stevens' dispatches show that annexation sentiment has increased in Hawaii since the commissioners left for this country. The natives are also said to be veering around. The ablest of the Hawaiian ministers are strongly American in their sympathies, and the chief native newspaper vigorously supports the provisional government, and urges annexation. The suggestions made by Minister Stevens are timely. He advises that the sugar bounties be limited to $12 a ton while that system remains, declaring that this would place the best plantations on a sound footing. The form of government best adapted to the present condition of the country is one, he thinks, similar to that which prevailed over the Louisiana territory just after its purchase by Mr. Jefferson, differing only in providing for an attorney general, a commissioner of finance, a commissioner of the interior and a council of thirteen or fourteen in addition to a governor. All these officials should be appointed by the President. This plan Minister Stevens regards as the most practicable until such a period as a more popular form of government can be safely established. For governor he suggests Sanford B. Dole, the head of the present provisional government. Regarding the liquidation of political claims, he advises an appropriation of $70,000 each to the deposed Queen and the Crown Princess and $6000 each to the two young princes in extinguishment of all further obligations. Minister Stevens' reason for assuming control of the islands is that it was necessary pending the creation of an efficient police and military force. The presence of 40,000 Chinese and Japanese, who might readily be excited to insurrection, would have otherwise rendered life and property insecure. The possibility of the arrival of a British warship and the apprehension of undue British pressure upon the provisional government were other motives that actuated him. While the treaty is not exactly such a covenant as the Hawaiian commissioners desired, they are willing to accept it and believe it would be approved by the provisional government.

The action of the senate authorizing the government to issue $50,000,000 of bonds to provide gold coin for the redemption of United States notes will have the effect of allaying all fears that may have been felt over the drain of gold, says the San Jose Mercury. If gold is to go to the best bidder the United States can easily draw it away from any nation that is at all likely to bid against her. The drain is supposed to be due to the Austrain demand for gold to provide a gold basis for her currency and a Russian demand for some purpose, ... but generally supposed to be a provision for prospective war. Against the offers of these two countries a United States bond at 3½ per cent would probably be preferred by nearly every financier in the world who is rich enough to be conservative. A raise in the rate of interest to 4 per cent would certainly give us all the gold we desire. Whether the bonds are to be issued by the present administration or by the incoming one, is a matter of little importance. According to the reports Secretary Foster and Senator Carlisle have discussed the situation together, and have agreed upon the policy to be pursued. This agreement was rendered necessary by the fact that Foster is soon to give way to Carlisle, and it would be of little use for him to initiate a policy in the last few weeks of his term of office unless his successor was willing to carry it on. Now that an agreement has been reached and the bonds have been authorized, it appears to be an open question whether it will be necessary to issue them. The very fact that the government has shown an intention to hold gold in this country until Europe agrees to a bimetallic system of currency, has given a feeling of confidence in our monetary system that will probably be in itself sufficient to tide us over the present crisis. At any rate it will counteract the depression that we have heard so much about in the stock markets of New York. It will give a healthier tone to the financial interests of the country and open the way for that full and abounding commercial and industrial activity this spring which the prosperity of the people renders natural and which only the fears about the continued drain of gold has disturbed and hampered.

THE BAD SHOT

Which Mr. Fournier Made at a Chicken Thief.

Joseph Marie Achille Fournier, the proprietor of the Bodega wine house, went to his home last night in the Johnson addition. He had partaken of a crab supper and was restless in consequence and could not sleep. About 1 o'clock a.m. he heard a racket in his hen coop and hurriedly awaking his wife told her to go to the door and see what the noise was. His better half did so and informed him that some one was trying to rob them of their fancy chickens.

Joseph Marie Achille hastily slipped on his trousers and grabbing a gun went to the door and poked his night-capped head out. He peered through the darkness but failed to see anyone.

Calling his wife he bade her bring a lamp by the aid of which he was able to discern something which looked like a man standing near the chicken house.

"Who is that?" asked Mr. Fournier in a tremulous voice.

There was no answer. The form moved backward and forward, as if hesitating about the direction to take to escape.

"Spe-e-e-k quick or I sho-o-o-t," said the owner of the chickens.

Still there was no answer.

"Mon Dieu," whispered the frightened marksman to his wife, "must I shed his blood to save my chickens? Well, here goes," he said, bracing himself against the door frame.

He raised the carbine, which had seen service in the Franco-Prussian war, and pointed it in the direction of the figure near the hen house. He took a bead on the supposed thief, and seeing that the robber did not move, lowered the carbine, and with an agonized look on his wife and said:

"Sacre nom de plume! Will not the rascal run?"

His wife made no reply, so, lifting the death-dealing weapon to his shoulder, he was about to press the trigger, when his wife grabbed his arm and whispered:

"Look out and don't shoot the chickens."

J. M. Achille Fournier gave his wife not a glance, but steadied the gun and pressed hard on the trigger. There was a roar that woke all the neighbors for miles around and made them believe that the people were celebrating the division of the county. When the shooter picked himself out of the corner where the recoil of the gun had thrown him, he peered out of the door and saw a fluttering in the place where a minute before he thought he saw the thief.

"O! Mon Dieu, I have killed him," he said excitedly, and slamming the door hurriedly went to bed.

When daylight dawned, Mr. Fournier followed his wife into the yard to view the scene of the carnage. They approached the spot with fear and trembling, expecting each moment to stumble over the dead body of the thief. All that they saw was a pair of Mr. Fournier's red flannel drawers hanging on a clothes line. The article was full of holes made by buckshot from Mr. Fournier's gun.

The lady laughed hysterically, but Mr. Fournier could not see anything funny about it. He kept very silent about the matter today, but the joke leaked out and he had to open several bottles before his friends would cease asking him embarrassing questions about the chicken thief.—Madera Mercury.

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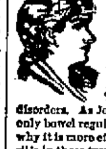

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Order of Adjudication of Insolvency.

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In the matter of William Conlan, an insolvent debtor.

William Conlan having filed in this court his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, from which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor, the said William Conlan is hereby declared to be insolvent. It is hereby ordered that Jay Scott be and he is hereby appointed receiver of the property of said insolvent, and that upon his giving a bond to the people of the State of California, conditioned as required by law, and in such sum as the court may order, and qualifying, he take charge and possession of all of the estate, real and personal, of said William Conlan, insolvent debtor, whatsoever and wheresoever situate, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all his deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep and care for and dispose of the same until the appointment of an assignee of his estate. All persons having the same or any part thereof (including the sheriff of the county of Fresno) in his or their possession, are hereby directed to deliver said property to said receiver, and all persons owing money to said insolvent are hereby directed to pay the same to said receiver, and that said receiver keep the said property, or the proceeds thereof, till the further order of this court. And all persons are hereby forbidden to pay any debts to said insolvent, or to deliver any property belonging to such insolvent, to him or to any person, firm, corporation or association for his use, and the said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this Court, except as herein ordered.

It is further ordered, that all the creditors of said debtor be and appear before the Hon. S. A. Holmes, Judge of the Superior Court of the county of Fresno, in open court, at the courtroom of said court in the county of Fresno, on Saturday, the 25th day of March, 1893, at 9 o'clock a.m. of that day, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of the estate of said debtor.

It is further ordered that this order be published in The Fresno Morning Republican, a daily newspaper of general circulation published in the county of Fresno, as often as the said paper is published before the day set for the meeting of creditors.

And it is further ordered that in the meantime all proceedings against said insolvent be stayed.

Dated February 18, A.D. 1893.

S. A. HOLMES,
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Assessment Notice.

LIBERTY CANAL COMPANY—PRINCIPAL place of business, Liberty, Fresno Co., Cal.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Directors, held on the 19th day of Dec., 1892, an assessment of $10 per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable on or before the 4th day of February, 1893, at residence of Secretary in Liberty.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 4th day of February, 1893, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before will be sold on the 4th of March, 1893, to pay delinquent assessment and cost of advertising and expenses of sale.

E. L. ROUNTREE, Secretary.
P.O., Riverdale, Fresno County, Cal. j11d&w

NOTICE
—OF—
SPECIAL ELECTION

To the Electors of the City of Fresno:

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE law of the State of California and of an ordinance duly passed by the Board of Trustees of the City of Fresno, January 16th, 1893, and approved by the President of said Board, on said 16th January, 1893, entitled "An Ordinance Calling a Special Election," etc., hereby specially referred to, a special election will be held in and for the City of Fresno, on the 4th day of March, 1893, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of said city and of voting upon the proposition of the City of Fresno incurring indebtedness for the following purposes, to-wit:

The acquisition, construction and completion of additional sewers, and the completion of the sewer system, estimated to cost $75,000.

In case the incurring of indebtedness for the purposes above specified be accepted by two-thirds of the qualified voters of said city voting at said election voting therefor, then bonds of said city will be issued for the payment of the cost of such municipal improvements.

The number and character of said bonds to be issued by said city are as follows, to-wit:

One hundred bonds of $750 each, bearing interest at five per cent per annum, five of said bonds to be paid each year for twenty years, together with all annual interest on all sums unpaid each year, said interest amounting in the aggregate for twenty years to $39,375, and the amount of the tax levy required to pay principal and interest of such bonds aggregating in twenty years the sum of $114,375.

The bonds to be issued as aforesaid will be of the character of bonds known as "serials," and will be serial-coupon interest-bearing bonds, and one-twentieth of said bonds being one-twentieth part of the whole amount of indebtedness incurred as aforesaid, together with the annual interest on all sums unpaid, will be made payable and will be redeemed each and every year after issuance until paid, on a day of each year to be fixed by said Board of Trustees and expressed in said bonds.

Ballots will be distributed to the electors of said city at said election. The ballots shall be of the same character as those used at general elections, but must be of the form and with the caption, or heading, preceding the proposition to be voted on as follows:

PROPOSED MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

For the acquisition, construction and completion of additional sewers and the completion of the sewer system. $75,000.	YES	
	NO	

The proposition to be voted must be printed and the word "Yes" and the word "No" must be separately printed immediately to the right of said proposition, one under the other, and in rectangular spaces prepared for the purpose, and to the right of the said words "Yes" and "No" must be printed blank rectangular spaces sufficient to contain the stamp mark used at the general election.

Electors of said city voting at said election and desiring to accept the proposition set forth in this ordinance shall stamp said rectangular spaces opposite said word "Yes" and those desiring to reject said proposition shall stamp the rectangular spaces opposite said word "No," and thereafter deposit the same with the election board in accordance with the election laws.

The places of voting and the officers of election to conduct said election in said city are as follows:

Place of election for the First Ward, corner of Merced and M streets.

Place of election for the Second Ward, Fresno House, corner Tulare and M streets.

Place of election for the Third Ward, City Hall, on J street.

Place of election for the Fourth Ward, Hughes Hotel building, on Tulare street.

Place of election for the Fifth Ward, Casino, corner of Merced and E streets.

OFFICERS OF ELECTION.

FOR THE FIRST WARD.

Inspectors, J. R. White, H. P. Hedges.
Judges, N. D. Gilbert, William Betteridge.
Clerks, Jesse F. Church, J. W. Shanklin.

FOR THE SECOND WARD.

Inspectors, Herman Levy, C. J. Craycroft.
Judges, Wick B. Parsons, Ab Hall.
Clerks, E. B. Valentine, M. L. Schermerhorn.

FOR THE THIRD WARD.

Inspectors, M. L. Woy, A. Tombs.
Judges, W. R. Thomas, F. J. Burleigh.
Clerks, Till Durks, O. M. Thompson.

FOR THE FOURTH WARD.

Inspectors, J. M. Ryan, S. L. Hutchings.
Judges, J. W. Ferguson, John Graupman.
Clerks, L. Hoppock, Ed. Dangler.

FOR THE FIFTH WARD.

Inspectors, G. P. Cummings, Ed Bacon.
Judges, James Leighton, Sam Fleming.
Clerks, J. H. Rhymes, Robert Epperson.

The officers of said election must prior to entering on their respective duties, each take the oath of office prescribed by law for such officers of State and County elections.

The polls shall be opened at sunrise of the morning of the day of election and must be kept open until five o'clock on the afternoon of the same day, when the polls shall be closed.

No person shall be eligible to act as an officer of election at any precinct who has been employed in any official capacity in Fresno county or within the state within ninety days next preceding said election, or any election.

No person shall be eligible to act as a member of an election board or as a clerk upon said board, who cannot read and write the English language.

In case any of the officers or clerks of election designated as above shall fail to attend, those attending with the electors attending and assembled, shall fill their places by appointing other competent persons from among the qualified electors present.

All returns of said special election shall be made out and signed by the officers of said election, in the usual form and deposited with the City Clerk of said city.

No person shall be entitled to vote at said special election unless he be an elector for city and county offices, and shall have actually resided within this city thirty days next preceding said election.

[CITY SEAL.] W. B. DENNETT, City Clerk.

Ordinance No. 269.

An Ordinance Approving Form of Notice of Special Election to be held on the Fourth day of March, 1893, and Directing the Publication Thereof.

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE CITY of Fresno do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1

The City Clerk having prepared and submitted to this Board a Notice of Special Election in all respects conformable to law and the Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Calling a Special Election, and submitting to the Qualified Voters of the City of Fresno the Proposition of Incurring a Debt of $75,000 to Complete the Sewer System," passed the sixteenth day of January, 1893.

Now, therefore, said Notice of Special Election is hereby approved and adopted, and the City Clerk ordered to have said notice, with this order, published in each of the daily newspapers published in this city, to-wit: The Fresno Morning Republican and the Daily Evening Expositor, issued in said city, for not less than two weeks prior to the election to be held pursuant to said notice, as often as said newspapers are regularly issued.

SECTION 2.

This ordinance shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval.

Passed this 7th day of February, 1893, by the following votes:

Ayes—Trustees Herrington, Fahey, Alford and Cole.

Noes—None.

Approved this 7th day of February, 1893.

[CITY SEAL.] S. H. COLE,
President of the Board of Trustees of the City of Fresno.

Attest: W. B. DENNETT, City Clerk. f8t2w

Assessment Notice.

The Producers' Raisin Packing Company of Fresno.

Location of principal business, Fresno City, Fresno county, State of California.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT A meeting of the Board of Directors held on the 6th day of February, 1893, an assessment (No. 3) of $20 per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately in United States gold coin to the secretary at the office of the company, corner of K and San Diego streets, in the city of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on Saturday the 1st day of April, A.D. 1893, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before will be sold Thursday, the twentieth day of April, A.D. 1893, at the hour of 1 o'clock in the afternoon of said day at the office of the company, corner K and San Diego streets, in the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, State of California, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale. By order of the Board of Directors.

[SEAL] (Signed) W. F. FORSEY,
Secretary of the Producers' Raisin Packing Company of Fresno.

Fresno City, Fresno County, State of California, February 8, 1893. f11-4w

Assessment Notice.

Office of the I Street Improvement Co., Fresno City, Cal., February 6, 1893.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AT A meeting of the Directors of the I street Improvement Company, held at the office of the company, rooms 7 and 8, Fresno Loan & Savings Bank building, on the 6th day of February, 1893, an assessment (No. 9) of one hundred dollars ($100) per share was levied upon the capital stock of the company, payable immediately to the secretary of the company, G. N. Freman, rooms 7 and 8, Fresno Loan & Savings Bank building.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on Thursday, the 16th day of March, 1893, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment be made before, will be sold on Thursday, April 6, 1893, to pay delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

G. N. FREMAN,
Secretary I Street Improvement Company. f8td

Annual Election.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE stockholders of the I Street Improvement Company that the annual meeting for the election of Directors for said company will be held at the office of the company in Fresno City on Monday, the 6th day of March, 1893, at 2 p. m.

C. FRRICKSON, President.
G. N. FREMAN, Secretary. f8td

A Blacksmith Shop
A Dry Goods Store
—OR—
A Clothing Store

Is No Place to Buy Shoes.

FOOTWEAR

Is an article that Needs the whole attention of the merchant that sells them. We don't carry anpthing but Shoes. We don't allow misrepresentation. Our prices are at rock bottom. Our motto: Quick Sales, Small Profits.

Rips sewed free of Charge

Repairing done very lowest

PEOPLE'S SHOE HOUSE

MARIPOSA STREET,

Under Grand Central Hotel, - - FRESNO, CAL.

Sheriff's Sale.

No. 3769.

SUPERIOR COURT, COUNTY OF FRESNO. Order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale.

Joseph Spinney, plaintiff, vs. H. R. Hyde and I. N. Hyde, defendants.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, of State of California, on the 3d day of June, A. D. 1891, in the above entitled action, wherein Joseph Spinney, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against H. R. Hyde and I. N. Hyde, defendants, on the 3d day of June, A. D. 1891, for the sum of seven hundred and twenty-seven and 70-100 dollars in lawful money of the United States, besides interest and accruing costs, which said decree was, on the 3d day of June, A.D. 1891, recorded in decree book, volume 3, of said court, at page 342, I am commanded to sell all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the County of Fresno, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Undivided one-half interest in survey No. 54, swamp and overflow, being fractional southeast one quarter of section four (4), in township fourteen (14) south, range twenty-three east, Mt. Diablo B. and M., containing 114 acres, and the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section three (3), in township fourteen (14) south, range twenty-three (23) east, Mt. D. B. and M.

Public notice is hereby given that on the 25th day of February, A.D. 1893, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, in front of the court house door of the County of Fresno, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for lawful money of the United States.

Dated, Fresno, Cal., February 3, 1893.

JAY SCOTT, Sheriff.
By F. T. BERRY, Under Sheriff.
Hosers, Church & Cory, Attorneys for Plaintiff. f4td

Sheriff's Sale.

No. 4341.

Superior Court, County of Fresno.

Order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale.

F. K. Prescott, plaintiff, vs. J. J. Rippling and Mrs. J. J. Rippling, defendants.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, of State of California, on the 18th day of January, A.D., 1893, in the above entitled action, wherein F. K. Prescott, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against J. J. Rippling and Mrs. J. J. Rippling, defendants, on the 18th day of January, A.D., 1893, for the sum of fifteen hundred and twenty three and 80-100 dollars in gold coin of the United States, besides interest and accruing costs, which said decree was, on the 18th day of January, A.D., 1893, recorded in decree book, vol. 4 of said court, at page —, I am commanded to sell all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the County of Fresno, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots numbered 209 and 210 of the Perrin colony No. 2, containing about forty acres of land, as laid down and delineated on the map thereof entitled "Map of Perrin Colony No. 2," which map was filed for record in the office of the County Recorder of said County of Fresno on the 8th day of October, 1890, and hereby referred to for purposes of more particular description, together with all and singular, the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, or in any wise appertaining.

Public notice is hereby given that on the 14th day of February, A.D. 1893, at 12 o'clock m. of that day, in front of the court house door of the county of Fresno, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder for gold coin of the United States.

Dated, Fresno, Cal., January 19th, 1893.

JAY SCOTT, Sheriff.
By F. T. BERRY, Under Sheriff.
Mr. F. H. Short, Attorney for Plaintiff. j20

The above sale is hereby postponed until Friday, the 24th day of February, 1893, and will take place at the same hour, to-wit: 12 o'clock m., in front of the court house door of the county of Fresno.

By order of F. H. Short, Esq., attorney for plaintiff.

Dated, Fresno, February 14, 1893.

JAY SCOTT, Sheriff.
By F. T. BERRY, Under Sheriff. f15

Summons.

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno State of California.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California, and the complaint filed in the office of the Clerk of said county.

W. M. Wyatt plaintiff, vs. J. T. Harbison, Harriet Harbison, Valley Lumber Company, a corporation, Julia E. Strine, George W. Strine, James Ware, E. R. Fantz and F. C. Fantz, defendants.

The people of the State of California send greeting to J. T. Harbison, Harriet Harbison, Valley Lumber Company, a corporation, Julia E. Strine, George W. Strine, James Ware, E. R. Fantz and F. C. Fantz, defendants.

YOU ARE HEREBY REQUIRED TO APPEAR in an action brought against you by the above-named plaintiff in the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California, to answer the complaint filed therein, within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on you of this summons, if served within this county; or, if served elsewhere, within thirty days.

The said action is brought to obtain a decree of this court for the foreclosure of that certain mortgage described in the said complaint, and executed by the said J. T. Harbison and Harriet Harbison, his wife, on the sixteenth day of December, 1889, to secure the payment of a certain note for the sum of $500; also for the sum of $41.10, taxes paid by the plaintiff, and the further sum of $6.25, premium of insurance paid by the plaintiff; also for the sum of $75, a reasonable attorney's fee and costs of suit, plaintiff alleging that there is due, owing and unpaid to him from said J. T. Harbison and Harriet Harbison upon the note and mortgage described in the complaint herein and for sums paid aforesaid in pursuance of the terms of said mortgage the sum of $725.80, with interest thereon at the rate of 15 per cent per annum from February 3d, 1893; that the premises conveyed by said mortgage may be sold, and the proceeds applied to the payment of said note, interest, attorney's fees and costs, after deducting the costs and expenses of said sale.

For further particulars reference to the complaint now on file is hereby made, and in case such proceeds are not sufficient to pay the same, then to obtain an execution against the said defendants, J. T. Harbison and Harriet Harbison for the balance remaining due, and also that the said defendants, and all persons claiming by, through or under them, may be barred and foreclosed of all rights, title, claim, lien, equity of redemption, and interest in and to said mortgaged premises, and for other and further relief, as will more fully appear by reference to the complaint on file herein.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint, as above required, the said plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California, this third day of February, A.D. 1893.

[SEAL] W. A. SHEPHERD, Clerk,
By F. A. ROWELL, Deputy Clerk.
L. L. Cory, Plaintiff's Attorney. f10t10

PARAGON

I WILL STAND MY ENGLISH HACKNEY horse Paragon at Fresno on Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays, during the coming season. For particulars call at 1047 J street, Fresno.

F. G. BERRY

Sheriff's Sale.

No. 4663.

Superior Court, County of Fresno.

Order of Sale and Decree of Foreclosure and Sale.

Phillip Duffy, plaintiff, vs. Oliver Childers, defendant.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, of State of California, on the 13th day of February, A.D., 1893, in the above entitled action, wherein Phillip Duffy the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Oliver Childers, defendant, on the 13th day of February, A.D., 1893, for the sum of three thousand two hundred and thirty and thirty one-hundredth dollars, in lawful money of the United States, besides interest and accruing costs, which said decree was, on the 13th day of February, A.D., 1893, recorded in decree book, vol. 4, of said court, at page —, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the County of Fresno, State of California, and bounded and described as follow, to-wit:

Beginning at a point 2640 feet westerly from the east quarter corner of section 12, township 14 south, range 21 east, Mt. Diablo Base and Meridian, in the line dividing the north and south parts of said section; thence north 1327 feet, 6 inches; thence south 87 deg., 16 min., west 660 feet; thence south 1325 feet, 6 inches; thence north 87 deg., 16 min., east 660 feet to the point of beginning.

Public notice is hereby given that on the 8th day of March, A.D., 1893, at 12 o'clock m. of that day, in front of the court house door of the County of Fresno, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for lawful money of the United States.

Dated, Fresno, Cal., February 14th, 1893.

JAY SCOTT, Sheriff.
By F. T. BERRY, Under Sheriff.
Mr. Geo. E. Church, Attorney for Plaintiff. f15

Sheriff's Sale.

No. 4575

Superior Court, County of Fresno.

Order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale.

Phillip Duffy, plaintiff, vs. Timothy Craig, J. K. Alexander, G. A. Dougherty and James B. Menasco, defendants.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, of State of California, on the 13th day of February, A.D. 1893, in the above titled action, wherein Phillip Duffy, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Timothy Craig, J. K. Alexander, G. A. Dougherty and James B. Menasco, defendants, on the 13th day of February, A.D. 1893, for the sum of nineteen hundred and fifty-two and fifty five hundredth dollars, in lawful money of the United States, besides interest and accruing costs, which said decree was, on the 13th day of February, A.D. 1893, recorded in Decree book vol. 4 of said court, at page —, I am commanded to sell all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the County of Fresno, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

All of lots 90 and 131, in the Central California Colony, according to the map of said colony, now on file and of record in the office of the County Recorder of said Fresno county.

Public notice is hereby given that on the 8th day of March, A.D. 1893, at 12 o'clock m. of that day, in front of the court house door of the County of Fresno, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for lawful money of the United States.

Dated, Fresno, Cal., February 14th, 1893.

JAY SCOTT, Sheriff.
By F. T. BERRY, Under Sheriff.
Mr. Geo. E. Church, attorney for plaintiff. f15

Delinquent Notice.

La Favorita Raisin Vineyard Company.

Location of principal place of business, San Francisco, California.

Location of property, Fresno County, California.

NOTICE—THERE ARE DELINQUENT UPON the following described stock on account of assessment levied on the 10th day of January, 1893, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders, as follows:

NAMES	No. Cert.	No. Shares	Amt
J. E. Higgins	69	5	$ 50
W. W. Boughton	83	40	400
N. J. Bird, trustee	39	5	50
N. J. Bird, trustee	40	5	50
N. J. Bird, trustee	47	5	50
N. J. Bird, trustee	48	5	50

And in accordance with law, and an order of the Board of Directors, made on the 10th day of January, 1893, so many shares of each parcel of such stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction at the office of the treasurer, J. E. Higgins, Nos. 18 and 20 Spear street, San Francisco, California, on Saturday, the 4th day of March, 1893, at the hour of 1 o'clock p.m. of said day, to pay delinquent assessments thereon, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.

W. W. BOUGHTON, Secretary.

Office, No. 119 Bush street, room 2, San Francisco, California. f17td

Sheriff's Sale.

No. 4522.

Superior Court, County of Fresno.

Order of Sale and Decree of Foreclosure and Sale.

Louis Rosenberg, plaintiff, vs. N. Seoglan, John Magarian (otherwise known as H. Magarian) John M. Jones and Mary V. Griffith, administratrix of the estate of E. J. Griffith, deceased, defendants.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, of State of California, on the 15th day of February, A.D., 1893, in the above entitled action, wherein Louis Rosenberg, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against N. Seoglan, John Magarian (otherwise known as H. Magarian), John M. Jones and Mary V. Griffith, as administratrix of the estate of E. J. Griffith, deceased, defendants, on the 15th day of February, A.D., 1893, for the sum of nineteen hundred and fifty-two and 57 100 dollars, in gold coin of the United States, besides interest and accruing costs, which said decree was, on the 14th day of February, A.D., 1893, recorded in decree book volume 4, of said court, at page —, I am commanded to sell all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the County of Fresno, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32, in block 221, and lot 26 in block 75, all in the city of Fresno, in Fresno County, State of California, according to the plat of said city on file in the office of the County Recorder of said county of Fresno.

Public notice is hereby given that on the 11th day of March, A.D., 1893, at 12 o'clock m. of that day, in front of the court house door of the County of Fresno, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

Dated, Fresno, Cal., February 17th, 1893.

JAY SCOTT, Sheriff.
By F. T. BERRY, Under Sheriff.
Mr. George A. Nourse, attorney for plaintiff. f18

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST Yot Hing Restaurant, Chinatown, please present same on or before February 25, 1893.

HOP SING,
Corner of Tulare and F streets.

THE FRESNO MORNING REPUBLICAN

Additional Local on Pages 1 and 4

SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY.

TRAINS LEAVE FRESNO DAILY.

12.35 a.m.—Los Angeles Express—For Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, San Bernardino and Riverside.
6.00 a.m.—Fresno Local—For Merced, San Francisco and way points.
2.00 a.m.—Express—For Goshen, Mendota, Newman, San Francisco, Sacramento and North.
6.00 a.m.—Mixed Train—Wednesday only, for Sanger Junction, Reedley, Porterville and on special order only to Poso.
12.10 p.m.—Express—For Merced, San Francisco, Sacramento, Portland, Ogden and East.
5.20 p.m. Daily—For Sanger Junction, Reedley, Porterville and way stations.
5.50 p.m.—Sunset Route Atlantic Express—For Los Angeles, New Orleans and East.

FRESNO AND POLLASKY.

Train 83 leaves Fresno at 10.15 a.m. daily, and arrives at Pollasky at 11.45 a.m.
Train 40 leaves Pollasky at 12.20 p.m. and arrives at Fresno at 2 p.m.
The stations are East Fresno, Barton's Spur, Las Palmas, Egger's Spur, Tarpey's Spur, Clovis, Gordon and Pollasky.

RICH GRAY, Gen. Traffic Manager.
T. H. GOODMAN, Gen. Pass. Agent.

U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

FRESNO, Feb. 21.—Observation taken at 5 p.m.

Temperature	67
Dew Point	50
Humidity (per cent)	53
Wind NW (miles per hour)	5
Maximum Temperature for past 24 hours	70
Minimum Temperature for past 24 hours	42
Rainfall	00
Total rainfall for season	6 54

Weather Forecast.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21.—Official forecast for twenty-four hours ending midnight, February 22d:—Northern California—Fair weather; stationary temperature; variable winds.

EVENTS.

TODAY.

Washington's birthday; legal holiday.
National Guard parade and sham battle.

TOMORROW.

February 23—10 a.m.—Trial of Michael Blume for murder, Holmes' court.

TO COME.

February 24—2 p.m. City Council.
February 27—The Lilliputians at the Barton opera house.
February 28—Fresno County World's Fair Commission.
February 23—Republican primaries.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Stop lying for one day.

Sperry's Stockton flour.

Give your employes a holiday.

Sperry's Stockton flour is best.

Theosophy is a fascinating study.

Flower seeds, Hammond & Bates.

Garden seeds at Hobbs & Parsons.

Magnifying glasses, South & Fontem.

Bermuda grass at Hammond & Bates.

Hall & Witten, undertakers, 1027 J st.

N. I. & F. Co. sell guaranteed fertilizers.

Belmont cars lead to the battlefield today.

Wood and coal at Wood & Dorsey's. Telephone 15.

The Harron mine at Auberry will start up again soon.

Good stock of Bermuda grass seed at Hobbs & Parsons.

Get your blue grass and white clover at Hobbs & Parsons.

N. I. & F. Co., telephone 62. Coal, wood, coke and charcoal.

After the sidewater road the next thing in order is a grape syrup factory.

A carload of nice large bearing orange trees just in at Long Bros. & Co's.

Holstein-Jersey heifer calf, will trade for chickens. Call at 1041 M street.

Johnson is still buying raisins in any quantity at Meade's packing house.

Newton Murphy, an old settler of this county, died at Auberry on the 15th instant.

Selma has the distinction of having two more churches than there are saloons in the town.

C. N. Crittenden, the well known philanthropist and evangelist, will begin a revival service in Fresno on February 26th.

Carload of orange and lemon trees just received at Marshall & Wilson's Nursery Depot, I street, opposite Kutner-Goldstein Co's.

The Southern Pacific freight depot will be closed today, except between 9 and 10 a.m. for the delivery of perishable freight only.

A surveying corps has started for the hills to complete the remainder of the new road from Sanger to Moore & Smith's mills at Sequoia.

The entire stock of raisins of the Easton Packing company has been bought by the Johnson-Locke company of San Francisco for a good price.

Orange, lemon and ornamental trees. Full line of each. Lowest prices. D. W. Lewis, Kings River Nursery Depot, I street, north of Fresno. H. C. Morrell, agent.

The New Home Sewing Machine agency has been transferred to W. F. McVey's furniture store, and all business and collections will be transacted at 1120 J street.

W. T. Riggs, the old time popular groceryman, will hereafter be found on Fresno street, between I and J streets. Produce and fruit of all kinds received in exchange for groceries.

Captain Williams of San Francisco will lecture in this city next Monday and Tuesday evenings to the public school pupils. His subjects will be "Hawaii, and the Naval and Coast Defenses."

Notwithstanding the enormous sales of the past two days, my assortment is as yet practically unbroken. There are thousands of dollars worth of crockery, etc., to be disposed of yet. John O. Nourse.

Talk about dull times in Fresno. Think of this! At a cash sale of crockery on Mariposa street, which commenced last Monday, the dealer was actually compelled to put up bars to keep the crowd of anxious purchasers out, until those inside could be waited on by the dozen clerks in attendance.

The Oriental Seer will return to this city in the near future in response to the wish of friends, and desires not only to thank his patrons but the public in general for their generous appreciation, and especially desires to extend due acknowledgment to the efficiency of THE REPUBLICAN as a medium through which to reach the people.

REPUBLICAN DELEGATES.

Result of the Ward Meetings Held Last Evening.

The Republican ward meetings were held last evening for the purpose of making nominations of delegates to be voted for at the coming city primaries. The following are the nominations:

First ward—Dr. Pedlar, T. H. Hart, William Beltridge, E. R. Higgins, F. T. Hilton, H. P. Hedges, J. T. Shanklin, Dr. Hayden, Mark Walser.

Second ward—F. K. Prescott, L. E. Walker, W. S. McLaughlin, F. S. Clark, H. J. Hart, E. T. Wescott, J. W. Smith, H. D. Colson, G. H. Monroe, Dr. O. Rowell.

Third ward—M. L. Woy, M. B. Kellogg, George Lawson, William M. Shields, L. P. Timmons, J. E. Brown, C. Chisholm, W. T. Burke, E. W. Risley, R. Heddinger, Frank Burleigh, M. Bilby, J. T. Noble, David Cosgrave, Dr. Adair.

Fourth ward—Sam Woldenberg, Paul Borchard, F. P. Wickersham, C. C. Connelly, C. S. Argal, George M. Kohler, Paul Meyer, Charles Vale, George Scholing, O. P. Fuller.

Fifth ward—John A. Griffin, E. C. Figgins, S. H. Roundtree, Antone George, S. M. Walton, E. Egel, Fred Ward.

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FRESNO'S FINE FRUIT

It Has Made Inroads on the Commission's Funds.

MORE MONEY PETITIONED FOR

The Orange Exhibit a Sorry Failure. It Will Be Rejected—The Raisin Display.

The subject of finance was the dominant one at the meeting of the Fresno County World's Fair commission yesterday afternoon.

W. M. Hughes, chairman of the finance committee, reported that between $3000 and $3500 of the $7500 appropriated by the supervisors for World's Fair purposes had been already expended and the remainder would not be sufficient to do any more than land the Fresno county exhibit in Chicago. He had in accordance with the instructions of the commission placed in the hands of one of the supervisors a petition for another appropriation, and he had been informed that Supervisors Letcher, Sayre and Butler had refused to sign it and that the only signatures it had received were those of Supervisors Wickersham and Myers. He had been instructed by Supervisor Butler to ask whether they could not get along with an additional appropriation of $3000, and he added that if they could, the supervisors might be induced to sign the petition for $5000. This petition, when it shall have received the signatures of the supervisors, will be presented to the legislature, the intention being to have a bill introduced to enable the supervisors to make the appropriation.

D. T. Fowler reported that several citizens had agreed to use their influence with the board of supervisors to consent to the appropriation and hasten the presentation of the bill in the legislature.

Miss Nellie Boyd remarked that the work of receiving and handling the fruit must be carried on in the commission office in Fresno after the various exhibits shall have been shipped to Chicago, and money will be needed for that purpose.

On motion of J. M. Collier, it was decided to ask the board to appropriate an additional $3000. Commissioners Fowler, Hughes and Collier were appointed as a committee to attend to the matter.

Mr. Fowler called up the matter of the special raisin exhibit. It had been proposed by several prominent citizens having the agricultural and commercial welfare of Fresno at heart that the commission should purchase the two tons of fancy raisins selected by Colonel Forsyth. Those public spirited citizens would indorse a note for $1000, the total cost of packing, shipping and placing on exhibition, and at the conclusion of the World's Fair these raisins could be sold at a good price, and the proceeds turned over to the indorsers of the note.

On motion of George A. Wilson, Mr. Fowler was authorized to make the purchase, provided that he could secure the necessary number of indorsers to the note.

Mr. Hughes announced that when Colonel Forsyth was arranging to exhibit these raisins on his own account in the competitive class he was informed by the manager of the competitive building that he would have to furnish a design costing at least $1500 before they would allow him to exhibit in that department.

It was announced that 3000 oranges contracted for from the orange groves of Joseph Burns and Fulton G. Berry, near Centerville, had been received. The contract price was 3 cents each. The oranges were inspected by the commission and there was much disappointment over the result. The bulk were undersized and thick skinned and were no better in taste and appearance than the culls sold in the fruit stores at 20 cents per dozen. The few large oranges were large enough, but they were of a lemon shape, the rind rough and nearly an inch thick at the smaller ends. Many were disfigured with scars where the rind had been chipped off and some had been punctured and bruised. The prevailing opinion of the commission was that they were not fit to be exhibited and would give Fresno county's baby reputation as a citrus district a very black eye.

Miss Hatch thought it would not be worth while to grade and repack the oranges, and she suggested that they be sent back to the contractor.

The matter was referred to the fruit committee.

Miss Hatch announced that the raisins and dried fruit designed for exhibition had been packed and were ready for inspection at the Hedgerow vineyard. She invited the commission, the press and the public generally to visit the Hedgerow vineyard next Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. She suggested that O. C. Harris should be extended a special invitation.

W. M. Hughes remarked: "We ought to have a bucket of tar and feathers for him. A man who speaks as he does without knowing anything about it ought to be driven out of the community."

Dr. M. V. Yancey reported that he and Secretary Wilson had examined the commission's exhibit in the cellar of the Hughes block and they had found the fruit in excellent condition. Some few jars of fruit put up in sulphur water had been bleached, but the remainder preserved in the preservative fluid invented by Dr. Yancey had retained its color and bloom perfectly.

He advised that the fruit should be repacked with fresh fluid on its arrival in Chicago and offered to sell the formula to the commission for $100.

It occurred to Mr. Hughes that the price was too high. He thought that $25 would be about the proper figure. The matter was deferred until the next meeting.

The commission adjourned until next Tuesday afternoon.

THEOSOPHY IN FRESNO.

Free Lectures on the Subject to Be Given.

Dr. Allen Griffiths, Pacific coast lecturer on theosophy, is now touring the coast. He has already lectured in all the principal cities and has just arrived in Fresno. Cultivated and intelligent audiences have greeted him everywhere, and he has been most cordially received by both public and press.

Dr. Griffiths presents theosophy as a rational philosophy which throws light upon many perplexing problems of life and human existence; the origin, development and destiny of the race; our own and other planets and humanities, and kindred questions not considered comprehensively by other systems. Theosophy, he claims, appeals to students and thinkers who are dissatisfied with current conceptions and search for more information thereon.

While in Fresno Dr. Griffiths will deliver two free lectures in DeWitt hall, as follows: Thursday, February 23d, subject, "Theosophy, Adepts and Cycles;" Saturday, February 25th, "Karma and Reincarnation, Have We Lived Before, Shall We Live Again on This Planet?" Both lectures will be free and begin at 7.30 p.m., to which all are cordially invited. Questions from the audience will be answered after each lecture.

People troubled with sick and nervous headaches will find a most efficacious remedy in Ayer's Cathartic Pills. They strengthen the stomach, stimulate the liver, restore healthy action to the digestive organs, and thus afford speedy and permanent relief.

WEST SIDE PROSPECTS.

The Grain Yield Will be Unusually Prosperous.

N. L. Palmer, manager of the West Side lumber company of Huron, and a general dealer in almost everything a farmer raises to sell is in Fresno.

Mr. Palmer has been a resident of the West Side for a number of years, and at present is unusually enthusiastic over the prospects of that section, which he pronounces as most cheerfully encouraging.

About 2.60 inches of rain has fallen so far this season, which is making the 30,000 acres of grain sown in that locality look as well advanced as during the season of 1889, when 96,000 sacks of grain were shipped. He predicts that with another rain in ten or twelve days the output this year will reach 100,000 sacks.

The Pleasant valley country, which is fourteen miles west of Huron, is also clothed in an interesting green, and the people there feel sure of a fair crop, even if not better than the one of 1890. There were about 14,000 acres of grain put in this season, and farmers are feeling happy.

Out in the sinks of the Poso, which is two and one-half miles northwest of Huron, 5000 acres were put in grain, and it is looking fine. A massive dam was constructed there last fall, and the grain land has been flooded four times, which almost insures a large crop.

Outside dry lands must have rain within ten days or two weeks in order to have even a small crop guaranteed. Considerable grain has rotted and the birds have destroyed some, but still the outlook is encouraging.

More land has been leased by the railroad company for sheep ranges this year than ever before, and the grass is in such good condition that sheep owners are jubilant. Of the 120,000 sheep on the West Side not one has been driven away in quest of better pasturage.

Mr. Palmer told a REPUBLICAN reporter that it has been many years since the outlook was so promising for ranch and stockmen, and all are feeling correspondingly in good spirits.

"THE DWARF'S WEDDING,"

To Be Produced at the Barton Next Monday Night.

The final week of the engagement of the Lilliputians at the Baldwin Theater was commenced last night, when "The Dwarf's Wedding," a comic opera in four acts, was produced. From a dramatic point of view "The Dwarf's Wedding" is much the best piece in the repertoire of the company. The music is sparkling and catchy and the various numbers are well arranged. The opera has a plot worth speaking of, and is simply but ably constructed for its purpose. It is the joint work of Hans Gross and Victor Hallsender. The former is the librettist. The little mummers presented the various roles assigned them in their usual bright and painstaking way. There are characters for every one in the company, and each member has an equal show to gain the plaudits of the audience. Miss Bertha Jaeger was a success as Illusha. She acted gracefully and with feeling and sang very well. Her costumes—and she appeared in a great many—were dainty and attractive, and in every sense the lady showed last night that she was a clever prima donna. Fraz Ebert had a small part and so did Adolf Zink, but they introduced a number of funnyisms which went quite well, and also a dance in the third act, which was unique and very neatly executed. The other characters were creditably presented by the remainder of the company. The concerted persons rendered by the principals were well worth hearing.—Chronicle.

A ROW IN THE FIRST.

PROSPECTS OF A VIRULENT SECTIONAL FIGHT.

Some Democrats Dissatisfied With the Delegates Chosen Monday Night.

The prospects of a pretty Democratic row in the first ward are excellent. The ostensible cause of the disturbance is the action of the majority at the meeting held Monday night for the purpose of choosing delegates to the Democratic convention to be voted for at the primaries tomorrow, in selecting only six delegates, the exact number to which the ward is entitled. Said one disgruntled Democrat:

"The meeting arrogated to itself a privilege it was intended the voters should exercise. Had it been intended that the delegates to the convention should be elected at the ward meetings the city central committee would have ordered it so. The committee, however, ordered primaries to be held for the election of delegates to the Democratic convention, and the action of the meeting was therefore unwarranted. The ward is entitled to a representation of six delegates. As only this number were selected at the meeting it looks as if the intention were to force certain men upon the voters. I don't see what other construction can be put on the meeting's action. At other ward meetings the number of delegates named was larger, giving the voter a chance to exercise some choice."

Those who voted for the six delegates defend their action on the ground that it was the best ground to take. Where a greater number of delegates are selected than the ward is entitled to candidates are given a chance to make combinations and thus defeat the will of the people. Besides, the meeting was not held by any clique, but was simply a Democratic meeting, to which every Democrat was welcome, and which every Democrat in the ward should have attended. If among the delegates chosen there are any that are not agreeable to some Democrats it is the latters' fault. The meeting was an open one, and they should have attended and designated their preference. As it is, the delegates were elected by a majority of those present, and are to all intents and purposes the choice of the ward. Ten candidates were voted for, and the six who got the largest number of votes were declared the nominees. That's the other side.

A petition was circulated by the dissatisfied Democrats of the First ward yesterday, in which it is recited that in view of the fact that the taxpayers of the ward were not given a fair opportunity to express their preference for delegates, and that they consider of far more importance than any question of politics the matter of reducing the tax levy and controlling the rates of the gas monopoly, and that because of the methods adopted by the unrepresentative ward meeting, the signers pledge themselves that, unless a fair representation is given them, they will oppose the election of any and all nominees who have secured their nomination by the assistance of the delegates selected Monday night. It is said that about twenty Democratic voters signed the petition. The feeling is very high and a factional fight is imminent.

W. Parker Lyon buys furniture.

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THE WIDOW TESTIFIES

Last Witness for the People in the Blume Trial.

HASKINS' DYING STATEMENT

He Identified Blume Positively, and Partly Identified Harvey Lewis. Three Assailants.

The cross-examination of Wesley Hazelton was concluded in Judge Holmes' court early yesterday morning and William Haskins, a son of the deceased, was put upon the stand.

On the evening of May 10th he was working on the flume near Centerville and saw three men in a cart go up the road near the flume. They called to him and passed on. In about half an hour he saw the same men going back along the line of the flume. That was between 8 and 9 o'clock in the evening.

The witness in answer to a question by Mr. Jacobs as to whether he wanted to see Blume convicted, replied that he did.

Mary J. Haskins, widow of the deceased, said that she had been married to the deceased ten years at the time of his death. Her husband's time on the flume was from 6 o'clock in the evening until midnight, or later.

She received information at 11 o'clock on the night of May 20th that her husband had fallen off the flume and she went at once to the place, which was about a quarter of a mile distant.

The deceased frequently remarked that he could not get well. On the Thursday evening before his death he said that they had tried hard to cure him, but that it was of no use. On the afternoon of the Saturday before his death he made a statement to his wife as to the manner in which he received his injuries.

"There were three men assaulted me. It was between 8 and 9 o'clock in the evening. As I went down the flume, riding on the lumber, I saw three carts going up the road. The first one was the mail cart, the second had one man in it, a stranger to me. The third contained three men, one of whom was the hook-nosed barber, Blume, who has a shop beside the Pioneer saloon in Sanger.

"A short distance below them the lumber became jammed and I worked a while getting it loose. Then I started to go up the flume.

"Presently I saw two men below me, walking nearly under the flume, and I thought they were some of the boys, and I asked them if they were going to the dance. They did not reply, but in a few seconds something struck my knee. I looked down and saw a third man standing on the trestle beneath the flume, with a pole or scantling in his hands. The thrust against my knee had not been sufficient to knock me off the flume and I caught it. But another and harder thrust struck me in the groin and I fell to the ground.

"When I reached the ground I looked up and saw the man standing on the trestle above me. I am almost certain it was Harvey Lewis, only he looked a little too large for Harvey Lewis as he stood on the trestle. He had on striped pants, a coat with broad stripes in it, and a white hat with a black band around it.

"I had lifted myself up to take a better look, when two men rushed upon me and struck me. One of them was the hook-nosed barber. The other I did not recognize. He was a broad-shouldered man. They both struck me, and as they did so they cursed me, and said I would not arrest anybody again for selling liquor in the public road. They not only beat me on the head, but kicked me and threw me against the mudsill of the flume."

He told his wife also that he had been warned that Blume, Harvey Lewis and Forcade intended to do him up. One of those who had warned him was Frank Lewis, a brother of Harvey Lewis. He had advised Mr. Haskins to go prepared because these men had it in for him.

The witness testified further that her husband told her that a brush fire was burning at the time in Sam Lewis's field and he could see things distinctly. The deceased was about six feet tall and weighed about 160 pounds.

Mr. Tupper announced that this would conclude the case for the prosecution, but he reserved the right to call one more witness should he desire to do so.

Today being a legal holiday the court adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

THE ASSOCIATED CHARITIES.

Officers Elected by the Relief Board Yesterday.

There was a meeting of the members of the relief board of the Associated Charities of Fresno yesterday, for the purpose of organizing and preparing for the work of attending to the wants of the poor.

G. L. Warlow was elected chairman of the committee, and L. O. Stephens secretary. Wick B. Parsons was chosen temporary superintendent. In a day or two he will send in a request to all who have subscribed to the relief fund to pay their subscriptions to H. D. Colson, the treasurer, at the Fresno National bank.

The Fresno Street Improvement company has given the board the use of an office in the Woodward building three months free of charge. The headquarters will open in a few days. The charitable societies will each appoint three ladies to act in conjunction with the relief board.

CITY RECORDER.

A. K. Sheats Announces Himself as a Candidate.

A. K. Sheats announces himself in a card this morning as a candidate before the Republican city convention for the nomination for the office of recorder. Mr. Sheats is a native of California and pre-eminently a self made man. At the age of 16 years he was thrown upon his own resources and went to work on a header and thresher in the harvest field. With what he saved of his earnings he paid for one term's tuition in the Normal school. He afterwards taught school and studied law in the meantime. After three or four years he entered the Hastings law college in the University of California, from which institution he graduated after having passed a very creditable examination. He is now practicing law in this city, his office being in the Temple Bar building. Mr. Sheats has made many warm friends by his uniform courtesy and uprightness of conduct and would make an excellent city recorder.

Furniture King, W. Parker Lyon.

Sperry's best family flour has ed all others for forty years.

AS OTHERS SEE US.

What a Stranger Thinks of Fresno City Politics.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN.—Will you please allow me to say a few words in the columns of your valuable paper. I arrived from Montreal, Canada, but I intend to settle in this magnificent country of yours. It is really a splendid country, the land of unparalleled fertility, the very Garden of Eden, but your municipal government is the worst possible.

I will not speak about the system of government in general, it is not so good as in Canada; every fair-minded person must acknowledge that I will mention only your municipal affairs. Will you Mr. Editor or anyone else explain to me what have the politics to do with the city affairs? To my poor knowledge nothing at all. We in Canada have also two principal parties—Conservatives and Liberals—yet they have nothing to do with the city elections. The people elect the best men without asking what their opinions are, and I fail to see why it should be here otherwise.

Now about the second point. I see that a saloon keeper is proposed for one of the city trustees. Think of it!

I do not mean any personalities. I am a stranger here, do not know who the saloon keeper is, nor have I wish to know it. I note only this curious and to me unexplained fact.

The United States is richer and more prosperous than Canada, but in the system of municipal affairs and in the conception of honorable social distinction is far behind the poor country to the north. Or perhaps it is only so in California and especially in Fresno.

Shadows of Washington and Jefferson look what your descendants in Fresno are doing! Is there any manhood left in them?

Or perhaps it is only the people of Italy and Mexico who are putting politics above character; perhaps the cheeks of true Americans are burning with shame. Qui vivra, verra.

A. M. PELLETIER.

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY.

How it Will be Celebrated in Fresno Today.

While there will be no general celebration in Fresno today, not much business will be transacted. The local companies of the National Guard will observe it as a military day, and the exercises will no doubt attract the attention of many of the people.

At 10 o'clock there will be a parade, in which General Muller and staff, companies C and F, the artillery squad and the uniformed rank of the Knights of Pythias will take part. After marching through the principal streets the soldiers will proceed to the target range on Blackstone avenue, where they will have a camp fire and lunch.

At 2 o'clock a skirmish drill and sham battle will be given, after which there will be target shooting at 200 and 500 yards. Those making the best scores will receive prizes contributed by the business men of the city. Following is a list of the prizes and the donors:

Plymouth Rock Shoe Store—Pair patent leather dancing ties.

Chisholm & Jones—Hat.

Ideal Clothing House—Pair kid gloves.

Redden & Collins—Quarter ton of coal.

W. Parker Lyon—Fancy rug.

Kutner-Goldstein Co—Cash, $2.50.

Hermann's Clothing House—Embroidered neck tie.

Hart & Levy—Embroidered suspenders.

A. Warnekrose—Pocket knife.

In the evening a military ball will be given, which will no doubt be well attended.

THE SECOND CROP.

ANOTHER WAY OF DISPOSING OF IT.

Mighty Intellects Concerned in the Raisin Problem—A New Grape Food.

That most serious question which has been troubling the raisin producers, viz: that of a demoralized market and ruinous prices, is likely to meet with a speedy and satisfactory solution, says the Madera Tribune. There is little doubt in the mind of anyone that, if the second crop of raisins be consumed in some other form, then the first crop, being packed as London layers and other first class goods will meet with ready sale at remunerative prices. To the problem, therefore, of consuming the second crop in the manufacture of brandy, syrup, etc., men have addressed themselves, but without results so far. Meanwhile there has been in progress tests and experiment on the part of inventive minds with a view to discover other and more certain means of attaining this end.

D. M. Tomblin, president of the Bank of Madera, was this morning the recipient of a package of manufactured "Grape Food," which we believe solves the vexed problem. This article, manufactured from the dried grape, retains all the valuable properties of the raisin, while that heretofore annoying and dangerous portion, the seed, is removed.

It possesses the same advantage over raisins that flour does over wheat. It is used in making bread, cakes, doughnuts, candies and confections. Mixed with water it produces a delicious drink, possessing the beneficial qualities of the grape and none of the baneful ones of the alcoholic product. In this field alone this article has wonderful possibilities, procuring a pure, non-alcoholic communion wine, and being a powerful adjunct in the settlement of the temperance question. From the standpoint of health no food can be found to equal it. It is especially valuable in stomach troubles.

The sanitarium of Alameda now consumes a large quantity of it and gives this testimony concerning it: "One pound will support and build up the human system more than a pound of beef, costs less, and at the same time regulates and invigorates its action."

Much more remains to be said concerning this article, but our readers have the opportunity to examine it for themselves. Mr. Tomblin desires all Madera people interested in raisin growing to call on him for this purpose, which it is well worth their while to do.

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All straight whiskeys at the Bodega.

Blank books to order at J. A. Slater's.

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ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

Count Von Brueckenhuysen's Rash Act.

HE USED A FIVE-INCH DAGGER

He Was Laid on the Hospital Steps by Friends to Be Cared For.

Count Von Brueckenhuysen, of the Holland colony, made an unsuccessful attempt at suicide last Sunday afternoon in his vineyard.

He stabbed himself in the left side with a five-inch dirk, the point of which was deflected by a rib. This saved the life of the unfortunate Count, although he will be confined to his bed for some time with a painful and serious wound.

He was removed by some friends to the county hospital and left on the threshold, where he was discovered some little time afterwards by the steward.

The Count, whose title is said to be genuine, came here several years ago with other colonists from Holland and purchased some land in the Holland colony tract about four miles north of this city, which they planted for the most part in raisin vines, and which for the most part has been a highly unprofitable venture owing to the poor quality of the land.

His funds gave out a short time ago and he wrote to his father in Holland for money, but it was refused. This threw the Count into a state of despondency, which was aggravated by drinking Fresno wine of immature age.

Last Sunday afternoon he went into his barn, took off his shirt and undershirt and tried to stab himself in the heart with a sharp-pointed five-inch dagger. He had the weapon in his right hand with the point down, after the manner of melo-dramatic actors, and when he struck at the region of his heart the blade went downward, grazing two ribs and entering between the ribs for a short distance.

He was discovered some little time afterwards by some friends, who conveyed him to the county hospital in a wagon. County Physician Maupin was absent, and without waiting to summon the steward his friends laid the patient on the threshold of the hospital and went away.

While the dagger made a very painful and a serious wound, it will not necessarily end fatally. At last accounts the Count was resting as comfortably as could be expected of one in his condition.

He expressed much regret for his rash act, and told the county physician that he repented of what he had done and desired to live.

An obedience to the simple laws of hygiene and the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla will enable the most delicate man or sickly woman to pass in ease and safety from the icy atmosphere of February to the warm, moist days of April. It is the best of spring medicines.

Who is W. Parker Lyon?

Furniture rented for parties by W. Parker Lyon, 1019 I street.

Set of bread, cake and paring knives; something new at Donahoo, Emmons & Co.

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is not Eastern Corn Beer.

Tomatoes.

The Fresno Canning Company are now contracting for tomatoes for the coming season. Parties having ground suitable for growing tomatoes can dispose of their crop by calling now and contracting for same. Call at Fresno Canning Company, or at 2035 Stanislaus street.

Prosperity.

During the past month we have made extensive improvements and enlarged the capacity of our store, in order to better accommodate our many patrons. Our stock is the most complete of any in the valley. Each department is presided over by an experienced salesman, and every novelty in the hardware line may be found on our shelves. Barrett, Hicks & Co., 1035-1041 I street. Hardware, plumbing, etc. Also agents for the celebrated Crane steel windmill.

Notice.

Owing to change of ownership of the respective yards of the San Joaquin Lumber company, all parties owing are hereby notified to call and settle their indebtedness contracted prior to January 1, 1893, as it is proposed to place all unsettled accounts in the hands of an attorney for collection at an early date.

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This week we are offering the following Great Bargains in Boys' Clothing.

300 Boys' School Suits
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200 Boys' Suits
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200 Boys' Suits,
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200 Boys' Suits,
Fine Tailored (4 to 14 years) $1.75

150 Boys' Suits,
Light Colors, Spring wear (4 to 14 years)............$2.00

150 Boys' Suits
Excellent Quality (4 to 14 years)....................$2.50

150 Boys' Suits
Very Stylish, All Wool, (4 to 14 years)................$3.00

200 Youths' Suits
Long Pants, 3 pieces, (12 to 18 years)....................$3.50

200 Youths' Suits
Fine Union Cassimere (12 to 18 years)..................$4.50

300 Pairs of Boys'
School Knee Pants............. 25c

200 Pairs of Boys'
School Pants, Solid............ 35c

300 Pairs of Boys'
Union Cassimere Pants......... 50c

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All Wool Merced Mills Cassimere, all sizes,............... 75c

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A GREAT SUCCESS.

THE BAL MASQUE BY THE FRESNO SOCIAL CLUB.

A Very Large Attendance at the Armory—List of the Winners of Prizes.

The bal masque given at the armory by the Fresno Social club last night was a great success. This club was but recently organized, and is a social annex of the Yosemite lodge, Ancient Order of Foresters of America. Though the last in the field among the social organizations, it is destined, judging from last night's event, to take a place in the first rank.

The committee having the arrangements in charge consisted of Harry Oppenheimer, Ben Epstein, Bruce Goodrich and William Conn, and they acquitted themselves creditably. Nothing had been left undone that would contribute to the comfort and pleasure of the guests, and the evening was spent most merrily. Actual count showed that the attendance numbered 370.

The hidden identity, which is a feature of every bal masque, is a great stimulant of mirth and, together with the striking contrasts in costumes, makes this kind of a ball more enjoyable than any other. Some of the costumes worn last night were very handsome and others odd and original.

At 11 o'clock the marchers formed in line for inspection, the awarding of the prizes being in order. Three judges were selected from among the spectators, entire strangers, so there could be no suspicion of partiality. The result was as follows:

Best dressed lady, Miss Georgie Buck, flower girl; prize, a pair of handsome Swede slippers, contributed by the Kutner-Goldstein company.

Most originally dressed lady, Mrs. Henry Stutsman, who appeared in the coming Paris fashion, the crinoline. She received a beautiful fan, presented by the Poor Man's Friend.

The prize for the best sustained lady's character was taken, oddly enough, by a young man, O. A. Reid, who represented a Spanish dancing girl. All were deceived by his clever impersonation. He was given a set of silver nut picks.

W. W. Hill took the prize for the best dressed gentleman, a gold-headed umbrella presented by the Mechanics' store. Mr. Hill wore the costume of a German princeling.

The prize for the most originally dressed man, a fine derby hat, was awarded to Fred Lamont, who represented Uncle Tom.

After the prizes had been awarded all unmasked and the remainder of the evening was spent in dancing. Refreshments were served in rooms adjoining the ball room. The club feel very much encouraged by its success and will give several more functions before the season closes.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Minutes of the Proceedings of the Board.

FRESNO, January 10.

The board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present, full board.
W. A. Shepherd, clerk.
By J. B. Johnson, deputy.

Ordered that Supervisors Wickersham and Sayre be appointed a committee of two to employ an expert or builder to figure on alterations that are unsettled in reference to the changes made from the plans of the court house up to the present date.

Ordered that George Matheson and William Shaw, constables Third township, be, and they are allowed an additional deputy at a salary of $75 per month.

Passed by the following vote:
Supervisor Letcher—No.
Supervisor Myer—Aye.
Supervisor Butler—Aye.
Supervisor Wickersham—Aye.
Supervisor Sayre—Aye.

The auditor was directed to draw a warrant in favor of Smilie Bros., court house contractors, for $2480, as per certificate 9 of Architect Curlett.

Passed by the following vote:
Supervisor Letcher—No.
Supervisor Myer—Aye.
Supervisor Sayre—Aye.
Supervisor Butler—Aye.
Supervisor Wickersham—Absent.

Ordered that the appointment heretofore of Fred Banta in charge of the ex-Union sailors and marines be revoked, and it is further ordered that J. R. McDonald be appointed to fill said office.

Resolved, That the contract with Smilie Bros. for additions and alterations to the court house be changed—consent of contractors obtained—so as to omit the flagstaff, at a saving to the county of $215.

Passed by the following vote:
Supervisor Letcher, no.
Supervisor Butler, aye.
Supervisor Myer, aye.
Supervisor Sayre, aye.
Supervisor Wickersham, aye.

The following claims were examined, allowed and ordered paid:

S S Crutcher	$75 00
Fresno Gas and Electric Co	147 47
George Matheson	13 25
E E Brown	31 25
C W Gearhart	23 60
Hop Kee	14 75
F M Sponogle	25 00
Shields & Woy	15 00
H St George Hopkins	25 00
L C Rice	2 70
Addie Bell	1 00
A C Williams	33 95
C A Ledsinger	14 74
A C Swartz	150 00
I R Woods	651 25
Armstrong & Daguerre	266 40
W J McFee	8 53
Weidenburg & Brown	4 00
C J Walker	27 00
Farmers' Bank	100 00
Fred Banta	45 00
Holland & Holland	4 75
B F Merritt	83 50
W J Hutchinson	2 40
W L Madden	104 99
J T W Chetwood	8 25
S G Edwards	53 60
W T Maupin	5 00
S G Edwards	10 00
Joshua Hendry Co	31 20
F Bartlett	75 00
H Smart	90 50
H W LaRue	55 25
A J Canoday	13 00
G N Freeman	6 13
T F Desmond	10 00
Hop Kee	15 00
Thomas J Kirk	20 00
S G Edwards	30 00
John B Burton	15 00
J H La Rue	1 50
J Teeft	23 25
J H Lancelot	7 38
C M Howard	8 25
W D Breese	102 93
T A Bressler	3 00
H Sherwood	54 00
D O Sample	7 87
R H Elder	10 00
T F Lisk	5 25
W T Maupin	25 00
F R Brown	55 75
W P Miller	5 00
Annie M Nicholson	20 00
C O Pendergrast	20 00
Mrs C A Scribner	6 70
A D Ottewell	145 00
Edgar S Van Meter	125 00
H W Downing	50 00
J M Collier	133 00
E A Harley	18 00
Ferdinand Kenyon	29 00
Expositor Printing Co	223 80
W A Shepherd & Co	330 00
E Manley	6 00
J H Hillman	1 50
A H Powers	4 00
W O Guard	116 91
Geo F Mothersole	150 00
Pattison & Son	8 61
John Wright	275 00
Mrs M B Stuart	75 00
M H Bixby	10 00
Thos E Hughes	20 00
Jas Hammond	9 00
E E Brown	14 50
I Poore	4 00
Ross & Scott	12 00
Ross & Scott	27 00
S Evinger	499 85
Henry Slavin	45 00
G W Hazleton	74 75
Wm Hoskins	48 00
Wm Helm	55 00
Harry Weymouth	56 25
Frank Coats	42 60
C C Fry	22 00
J C Humphreys	9 50
R L Hogue	59 00
J C Humphreys	57 87
Barrett, Hicks & Co	6 75
Barrett, Hicks & Co	16 50
S M Smoot	110 00
San Joaquin Lumber Co	54 80
J S Bedford	15 00
San Joaquin Lumber Co	08 10
West Side Lumber Co	105 65
E T Allen	319 50
A H Foster	47 00

The board adjourned until January 11th at 10 a.m.

January 11.

The board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present, full board.
W. A. Shepherd, clerk.
By J. B. Johnson, deputy.

Ordered that W. D. Tupper be employed as special counsel for the people in the case of the People vs. F. O. Vincent before the United States supreme court, and that his compensation be $200.

In the matter of the petition of L. W. Fox et al. for road, same came on for final hearing, and it appearing to the board that notice of such hearing had been given to the non-consenting land owners, and none of said non-consenting land owners appearing or objecting to said road or to the report of the viewers thereon, it is hereby ordered that damages in amount of $20 be allowed to John Radley and $20 to Mrs. A. L. Davis; it is further ordered that said road as surveyed and viewed be declared a public highway.

The board examined, allowed and ordered paid the following claims:

A C Swartz	25 00
A C Swartz	21 55
J Graham	20 00
Farmers' Bank	20 00
J L Morgan	7 25
W H Lane	17 00
W H Lane	46 60
W B Callom	178 00
R L Hogue	80 00
T J Ward	87 50
E P Wickersham	48 60
R B Butler	49 90
F F Letcher	54 40
J H Sayre	62 25
J Myer	53 50

Upon motion made and seconded, it was ordered that William G. Somers, steward of the county hospital, be removed.

Passed by the following vote:
Supervisor Letcher—Aye.
Supervisor Butler—Aye.
Supervisor Sayre—Aye.
Supervisor Myer—No.
Supervisor Wickersham—No.

Upon motion, ordered that R. L. Rader be appointed steward of the county hospital, vice Somers, removed.

Passed by the following vote:
Supervisor Letcher—Aye.
Supervisor Butler—Aye.
Supervisor Sayre—Aye.
Supervisor Myer—Aye.
Supervisor Wickersham—No.
Adjourned until January 12th.

Fresno, January 12.

The board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present, full board.
W. A. Shepherd, clerk.
By J. B. Johnson, deputy.

The board had read matters under consideration, pending which adjournment was taken until January 19th instant.

Fresno, January 19

The board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present, full board.
W. A. Shepherd, clerk.
By J. B. Johnson, deputy.

James Simpson, an aged indigent, having applied to the board for transportation to his home at Hollister, the auditor was directed to draw a warrant for said transporting.

He Built One of the Pyramids.

The British museum, the great European storehouse of things out of the ordinary, has hundreds of Egyptian mummies of all dynasties carefully stowed away within its walls. Some of these are comparatively recent efforts at embalming, and others date back to the "wide revolving shades of centuries past." The oldest of the entire collection is the mummy of Mykerinos. He was a king in Egypt in what is known to history as the "fourth dynasty," and wore his golden tiara and sat on the throne of thrones 4,000 years before the wise men followed the star of fate till it stopped over that lowly hovel in Bethlehem where the infant Jesus lay.

Mykerinos was the builder of the third pyramid at Ghizeh, where his headless mummy was discovered in the year 1836. The stone coffin in which he was being transported to England was lost at sea and lay at the bottom of the ocean for two years before being recovered. It is seldom that a man's bones are subjected to vicissitudes, especially 5,000 or 6,000 years after his death.—St. Louis Republic.

Life of an Italian Signalman.

A signalman in Italy has a remarkably easy time of it in comparison with his British brethren. This is of course partly due to the greater leisureliness of railway traffic in the peninsula, but is partly also the outcome of the conditions under which he is required or permitted to ply his calling. He is always married—if he were a bachelor he would not be employed—and his little cabin beside the railway is also his home. He is free during the daytime, at least, to engage in any other occupation he may desire. When a train passes his wife puts on his hat—an official covering—and goes out to give the necessary signal with the flag. The wages amount to about a franc and a half a day.—London Tit-Bits.

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40 YEARS OF PAIN CURED.

THE CASE.

N. ALBANY ST., ITHACA, N. Y., Dec. 19, 1881.

For over 40 years I have been a victim of rheumatism. I was persuaded to try St. Jacobs Oil. I have used two bottles, and a man more free from rheumatism never walked our streets. My limbs that were once stiff and lame are now as light and limber as in my youth.

JOS. EDSELL.

AFTER FIVE YEARS.

ITHACA, N. Y., July 5, 1887.

Suffered many years—injury to hip resulting in rheumatism, muscular weakness and contracted cords. Two bottles of St. Jacobs Oil relieved me so that I now walk about and attend to daily duties at 62. I heartily endorse it.

JOS. EDSELL.

GUARD-WEAVER.

TWO POPULAR YOUNG PEOPLE MARRIED.

Only a Few Relatives and Friends Were Present—An Impressive Ceremony.

A delightful wedding was that of Will C. Guard and Miss Nancy J. Weaver, which took place last evening at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Weaver, two miles south of town.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. T. H. B. Anderson in the presence of a few intimate friends and relatives of the happy pair. Promptly at 9 o'clock the bridal pair entered the drawing-room to the strains of the wedding march and took their position under a true lovers' knot of sweet-scented violets.

The ceremony, though brief, was impressive.

The bride looked beautiful in a rich white silk gown, in the empire style, with veil. After the ceremony the newly married couple received the congratulations of their friends, and after some conversation and music the guests were invited to partake of a sumptuous wedding supper.

The surroundings were thoroughly in keeping with the festive occasion, the floral decorations being lavish and beautiful. The supper over the guests repaired to the parlors, where the remainder of the evening was spent in dancing, music and conversation. Both bride and groom received many presents, those of the former in particular being handsome and costly.

The bridal couple left for this city in time to take the midnight train for the south. They were accompanied to the depot by their friends. Mr. and Mrs. Guard will spend several weeks in Southern California, and will upon their return go to housekeeping.

More than usual interest attaches to this event on account of the prominence of the parties. Mr. Guard is an exceptionally worthy young man and enjoys a deserved popularity. He has the faculty of making and keeping friends and possesses many excellent qualities of heart and mind. He is now serving his second term as county tax collector, which office he has conducted in a very efficient manner. Mr. Guard has also taken a very prominent part in the social life of this city.

The bride is one of Fresno's prettiest and most popular society girls, and is as amiable as she is pretty. She has a charm of manner that captivates all who meet her, and to know her is to be her friend. All who are acquainted with the newly wedded pair will rejoice in their happiness and hope that they may enjoy a long and blissful married life. THE REPUBLICAN joins their many friends in wishing them well.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. John Wear, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. A. Newhouse, Mr. and Mrs. James R. White, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Short, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. G. I. Helm, Mrs. M. A. Guard, mother of the groom; Mrs. J. O. Lovejoy of Tulare, aunt of the groom.

Misses Annie Guard, Lizzie Thorne, May Osborne, Jenne Long, Rose Kennedy, Orinda Hildreth, Fannie Helm, Mary Helm.

Messrs. S. J. Ashman, R. N. Crawford, Frank Helm, E. A. Walrond, Lloyd W. Moultrie, L. T. Corwin, Charles Riege, George Roeding, W. O. Colson, W H Weaver, Walter Weaver.

George Fox Dead.

George Fox, the Southern Pacific brakeman who was run over by a caboose at the depot a few days ago, died last night about 9 o'clock of lockjaw, superinduced by his injuries. The fatal termination was unexpected, as, until Monday, the young man's condition was steadily improving. It was intended to have him conveyed to his home in Oakland on Thursday. His mother was at the bedside when he died. His father, Judge Fox, arrived from Oakland last night. An inquest will probably be held.

Expense of the Peary Expedition.

The total expense of the Peary and the Peary relief expeditions was within $25,000, or, approximately, within one-tenth of the amount that was involved in the very much less successful British north pole expedition of 1875-6, and barely more than one-fortieth of the expense of the Austro-Hungarian expedition under Payer and Weyprecht of 1878-4.

The contributions of knowledge obtained in either one of the departments of geography or ethnology alone can rationally be considered to repay the moderate outlay of these two expeditions, a cost considerably below that which in modern times is sometimes paid for a painting.

It is interesting to place here by way of comparison the cost of previous explorations. One of the earliest—that of Willoughby—conducted 300 years ago, required for its expenditure £6,000; that of Moor, in 1746, £10,000; the second German north pole expedition was covered by an appropriation of 120,000 thalers, or £11,000, while the Franklin expedition and the various ones sent out to ascertain his fate to 1854 cost £833,333, or over $4,000,000.—Philadelphia Ledger.

A Gas Well Beyond Control.

What is undoubtedly the strongest natural gas well ever found in the Indiana belt is a roaring monster north of Muncie, Ind., which cannot be gotten under control. A few days since Walley & Spellacy, contractors, drilled in a well on the Spilker farm. Next day it was discovered that the pressure had raised to an enormous degree, and it has since increased until it has become impossible to anchor the well or do anything with it. It is impossible to force a sledge hammer, crowbar or anything into the hole, and the gas roars until a man's voice cannot be heard within several hundred yards of the well. The earth trembles in a frightful manner. A great deal of fright is entertained as to what the result will be. The well is estimated at over 10,000,000 feet, and the apparatus used to anchor the monster Jumbo well at Fairmount is useless. Great caution is being used to prevent the gas from becoming ignited.—Cor. Chicago Inter Ocean.

A Singular Accident.

Arthur C. Moreland, who played the role of Colonel Risener, the tricky Indiana politician, in the play of "Blue Jeans," last season, was on Friday night the victim of an accident that may end his stage career. When on the road Moreland has a companion, Perry, a hybrid dog which appears in the play. After the third act of "Blue Jeans" at the National theater in Washington, Moreland picked up and fondled the mongrel. Perry's face was side by side with the actor's. The sawdust used in the mill scene was being swept up at the time. It caused the dog to sneeze, and his teeth came in contact with Moreland's left eye, destroying the sight. Yesterday morning the eye had swollen to twice its normal size, and Actor Moreland is now confined in a darkened room, with the prospect of losing the sight of the other eye.—New York Letter.

Electric Roads and Snowfalls.

When many of our electric railway managers were boys it was just about this time of year that they got down from the attic or up from the cellar or out from the woodshed their old "double runners," and polished and oiled them up in anticipation of many coasts down the icy hillside roads. They are doing pretty much the same thing now, except that the "double runners" have developed into electric railway snow plows, whose function is to spoil coasting rather than to facilitate it. These machines are of very recent origin, and are still in many ways experimental devices.

Plows and sweepers have both been used to displace the snow from electric railroad tracks. It has been thought by some companies that the sweeper does its work too thoroughly, as it cleans off all the snow, leaving only the bare ground for the use of other vehicles on runners. This causes delays to the electric cars and interferes with their prompt operation. Crosby and Bell state in their book on the electric railway that "it is best to leave an inch or two of snow on the track when cleared by plows. Unless the snow is very much compacted, or has become a sort of frozen slush, it is then possible to obtain fair contact between wheel and rail, thus keeping up the car service."

The proper function of the snow plow is its constant use in keeping the snow on the tracks from packing and freezing. Its principal use is in the city streets. Where the road runs out into the country, or where the snows are light, the sweeper service will probably prove equally desirable. On many roads a combined plow and sweeper service will be found best of all.—Electrical Review.

An Ancient Work on Angling.

The greatest work of antiquity on angling is said to be the Halieutica of Oppian, a Greek poet, who flourished in the time of Severus, A. D., 198, from which we learn that many artifices in fishing thought to be modern were known to the ancients. We also learn from Athenaeus that several other writers had written treatises or poems on fishing some centuries before the Christian era.—American Angler.

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I suffered for six years with dandruff and tried every remedy recommended to me, without any good effect until I purchased a bottle of Smith's Dandruff Pomade, one-fourth of which cured me, and I can faithfully recommend it to all.

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Having been troubled with dandruff for five years, I procured a bottle of Smith's Dandruff Pomade and was cured entirely upon as many applications. I can recommend it to all and have no doubt but that it will cure any case.

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For sale by Webster Bros.' City Drug Store, corner K and Mariposa streets, Fresno. Large size 50 cents and $1. *

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Castle, Wis., was troubled with neuralgia and rheumatism, his stomach was disordered, his liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight year's standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawba, O., had five large fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle of Electric Bitters and one box of Arnica Salve cured him entirely.

For sale at Webster Bros., City Drug Store, corner K and Mariposa streets, Fresno. *

Organized May, 1888.

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KICKED BY A HORSE.

Serious Accident to Twelve-year old Frank Dolson.

Frank Dolson, the 12 year-old son of John A. Dolson of the Log Cabin bakery, was seriously if not fatally injured yesterday morning by a horse in his father's stable. The little fellow while playing in the stable fell down behind the horse's heels, and the animal either kicked or stepped upon the back of his head fracturing the boy's skull.

Dr. G. A. Hare extracted three jagged pieces of bone from the patient's skull, the fracture having a diameter of about three inches. It was not deemed advisable to remove the sufferer from the doctor's apartments and he will remain there until a change occurs for the better.

The Great White Egret.

Smith Bros.' drug store on the corner of I and Tulare street was the center of attraction for crowds of interested people yesterday. The curiosity that caused so much comment was a long-legged, long-necked bird of snow white feathers that was on exhibition in Smiths' show window. Some called it a Sierra crane, others who knew it all said it was a seagull, but it remained for a learned professor to solve the mystery and he declared the bird to be one of the family of great white Egrets, which are seldom found in America; their habitat being the islands adjacent to South Australia. *

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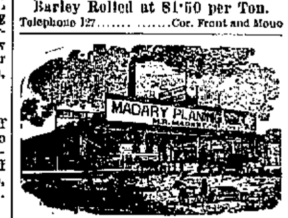

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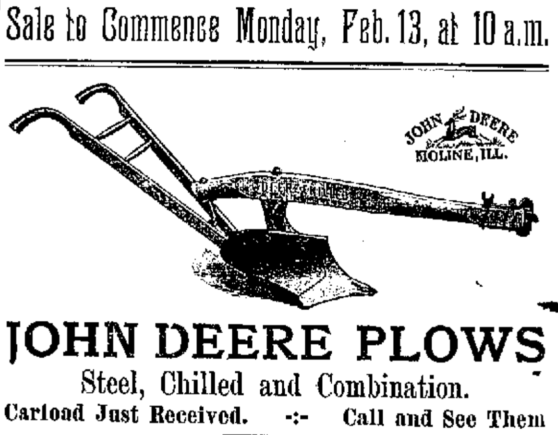

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